WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Strong winds or gales, mostly southerly and westerly; chiefly cloudy, with showers.
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BATTLE GOES ON DAY AND NIGHT

Series of Desperate Struggles Proceeding Along Line From Noyon to Eastern Frontier of France.

GERMAN CHARGES ARE REPELLED

Enemy Recedes Slightly at Western End of Line—Both Armies Suffer Very Heavily in Encounters.

ON THE BATTLEFRONT, Sept. 17., via Paris, Sept. 18.—The gigantic battle, or, more properly speaking, battles, continue day and night along the entire front from Noyon to the frontier. The fighting does not consist of one sustained and combined movement, but, in reality, of several combats proceeding incessantly at the strongest points of the German defending line along the River Aisne.

Each encounter, however, influences the execution of the general idea of the commander-in-chief of the allied armies. Attacks and counter-attacks follow one another in rapid succession every hour of the twenty-four.

Against Heavy Odds

During the night of September 15-16 the Germans attempted a formidable movement in the western sphere, but were met by the French and British with courage that was marvelous against overwhelming odds. The Germans returned to the attack no fewer than ten times, with remarkable tenacity and intrepidity, but were unable to break through the firm line presented by the allies' infantry.

The fight of the last few days was the most violent of all. The Germans appeared to throw into the charge all that remained of their energy, but were rolled back with enormous losses. Before retiring behind their big guns they sacrificed many of their number, displaying resolution which approached desperation.

A vigorous counter-attack from the allies ensued, during which a small extent of ground was gained. Last night was relatively calm along the front, but today the fighting became more furious than ever. During the darkness operations are rendered difficult owing to the reluctance of the opposing commanders to use searchlights, which might expose their position.

Germans Retire

After this stage of the fight was concluded, the Germans appeared to retire about seven miles. During the combat the adversaries in many instances came to hand-to-hand clashes, and the bayonet was extensively used.

The carnage was terrific, but the troops of both armies appear to have been hardened to such scenes, and fought with great coolness.

The allies' aviators apparently discovered today the placements of some big German guns, notwithstanding the cleverness with which they are hidden beneath an earthen covering strewn with the branches of trees. The allies' artillery opened a concentrated fire on certain portions of the line, and the heavy German artillery shortly afterward lapsed into silence at that spot, although it is not known whether they were rendered impotent or were merely effecting a change of position owing to their former emplacement having become untenable.

It is impossible to learn from any one portion of the line what is occurring at another place, but an inclination to recede slightly seemed evident on the German side, although they offered the most obstinate resistance and fought as though made of iron. The allies at the same time doggedly pursued the small advantage they gained and kept at the heels of their reluctantly retiring foe.

British Suffer Losses

At a point where the bulk of the British troops formed part of the allies' line the fighting was furious yesterday and today, and some of the famous English, Scottish and Irish regiments, including the Guards and the Highlanders, suffered severely. They performed the task set for them unflinchingly, advancing and occupying some of the advanced German positions, but at terrible cost.

Behind the fighting line, along the Acy-Puiseux Road, still lie many of the dead who fell in the fighting of September 5. Laborers engaged in the task of interment declared that although they had buried great numbers, over a thousand bodies still awaited removal from the battlefield.

French Officer's Account

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The Exchange

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RHINE FORTIFICATIONS

People of Holland Inclined to Think That Germany Is Afraid of Their Intervention

THE HAGUE, Sept. 18.—Publication here of a report that the Germans are strengthening the fortifications of Cologne, Dusseldorf, Wesel and Duisburg have given rise to much speculation.

While, of course, such a step is only natural as a precaution against an invasion by the allied forces, yet Dutch opinion, to a certain extent, is inclined to credit it to a fear by the German authorities that Holland will take a hand soon in the great war.

The four towns mentioned are due east of the Dutch frontier.

Despite the fact that any violation of Dutch soil must be far from the thoughts of Germany, Dutch troops are still massed on the frontier, and feverish military activity is everywhere apparent.

The belief is generally prevalent that Holland will join the allies once the Germans retreat to their own territory.

HELP FOR BELGIANS

Nova Scotians Propose to Send Steamship Load of Food and Clothing for Suffering People

HALIFAX, Sept. 18.—Premier Murray has addressed an appeal to the people of the Province of Nova Scotia to provide a steamer load of food and clothing for the starving Belgians. Mr. Murray says:

"The heroic stand of the people of Belgium has won the admiration of the whole world. They have made sacrifices so great that it almost passes our comprehension. Their lands have been laid waste, their towns sacked, their homes wrecked, their women and children outraged, their famous churches and cathedrals pillaged, their priceless art treasures destroyed—everywhere across the Belgian country is the invader's ruthless trail of ruin and blood.

"In the face of this appalling suffering and destruction, almost unparalleled in the history of warfare, I am sure that the people of Nova Scotia cannot remain unmoved."

The Government of Nova Scotia will charter a steamer, which will be dispatched early in October with a full cargo of necessaries of life for Britain's faithful ally.

Prince's Request Is Refused

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The Prince of Wales was very anxious to go to the front, according to a statement issued this evening by the official press bureau, and he tried to get Lord Kitchener's consent to do so. But as he had not completed his military training, Lord Kitchener submitted it to the King "that for the present it is undesirable that His Royal Highness should proceed on active service."

GOOD OUTLOOK FOR INDUSTRIES

Situation in Canada Is Regarded by Expert Observers as Improving — Opportunities for Manufacturers.

OTTAWA, Sept. 18.—While Canada is at war in the national sense, there is industrial peace all over the country. No labor dispute of any importance exists, and not one arbitration board is sitting. Even the prolonged difficulty among the miners at Nanaimo is terminated. The Department of Labor, which, when the war broke out, appealed through Hon. Mr. Crothers for the amicable adjustment of labor difficulties, is keeping in constant communication with the different centres and watching industrial conditions.

General Improvement

The general situation is looking up, according to advices received here. At the outbreak of the war there was more or less pessimism and talk of suspending industrial operations, but confidence appears to be gaining, and many Canadian manufacturers are adopting the patriotic policy of not only supplying what hostile countries have hitherto supplied to Canada, but are endeavoring to capture the trade of such countries with the South American republics.

The opportunities are extensive and the outlook is hopeful.

When the statistics for the past month are available a very substantial improvement is likely to be registered. The trade routes temporarily demoralized at the outset are now open, and imports and exports are coming and going in considerable volume.

An increase in the customs revenues for September is expected on account of largely increased imports from the United States.

Contracts From Britain

The industrial situation, it is expected, will be greatly improved by heavy contracts which, it is understood, will be placed in Canada by Great Britain and her allies. England has already bought a large amount of hay and oats in Canada. More contracts for equipment and supplies are being placed.

Sir George E. Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, is quite optimistic over the industrial outlook. He emphasized today that the greatest opportunity was in the Canadian market formerly supplied by German manufacturers or by Austrian and other European countries.

Sir George considers that the big problem is to bring the Canadian manufacturers together. The department is doing everything possible along this line, and has even inventoried a drug store to find out what supplies came from Germany and can be produced in this country.

GERMANS ENTRENCHING

Defence Works Now Being Established Along Sambre River, From Maubeuge to Namur

LONDON, Sept. 18.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Ostend says:

"The Germans are entrenching themselves strongly on the River Sambre, from Maubeuge to Namur. I have seen important defensive works at Thuin, Farcionnes and Floreffe. Many inhabitants of these places have been forced by threats to perform labor on the works.

"I have been told that the same kind of fortifications are being erected on the Meuse from Givet to Namur, but it is impossible to cross the Sambre to see for myself. I believe, however, my information is accurate."

Germans at Constantinople

LONDON, Sept. 18.—A Reuter's dispatch from Odessa confirms reports that German artillerymen, engineers and sappers, under the leadership of a general, have arrived at Constantinople in disguise.

Prussian Guard Wiped Out

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The Paris correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company says: "All accounts received in Paris agree that the famous Prussian Guard, the elite of the Empire and the especial pride of the German Emperor, has been practically wiped out in the battles which have been fought along the Meuse, Marne and Aisne rivers.

CZAR'S FORCES DRIVE ONWARD

Official Statement Says Active Pursuit of the Austrians in Galicia Continues—German Advance Is Stopped.

RUSSIANS NEARING DEFENSIVE POSITIONS

People of Vienna Are Kept in Ignorance of Real Situation —Internal Foes Apparently Operate in Pola.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 18.—The following communication was issued today by the chief of the general staff:

"On the front in Eastern Prussia the armies of General Rennenkampf definitely stopped on September 17 the offensive movement of the Germans. At several points the Germans are falling back and shifting to new positions.

"On the Austrian front the pursuit of the enemy continues. The Russians are approaching the defensive positions of Sienawa, Jaroslav and Przemysl."

Austrians Completely Defeated

ROME, via Paris, Sept. 18.—Russian reports augment daily the magnitude of the Austrian defeat. The number of cannon captured by the Russians is now placed at 1,000.

Fear in Vienna

VENICE, Sept. 18, via Paris.—In the complete absence of any satisfactory details regarding the progress of the campaign in Galicia and along the Servian frontier, the Austrian public is waiting with dumb patience for some definite news as to what is really happening.

Ever since it became known that Russia was making great headway in Galicia, the comment in Vienna newspapers has been guarded, the editorials dealing chiefly with the German campaign in Western Europe. The presence of 70,000 refugees from Galicia, however, added to the constant arrival of trainloads of wounded, tends to offset this reticence. The police recently issued a decree warning persons against spreading unfavorable war news under threats of severe penalties. Spies are found everywhere, in offices and on the streets, trying to overhear private conversations and then hastening to the police and denouncing suspected persons. Hundreds of arrests already have been made, and many persons have been placed under more or less strict police surveillance.

Six Slav deputies in the Reichsrath have already been imprisoned. These include Dr. Kramarz, the Czech leader.

Feverishly Fortifying

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—A special cable from Rome to The Evening Sun says: "The Austrians are mounting artillery on the fortifications of Roch-

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GERMANY MADE GRAVE MISTAKES

Premier Asquith at Recruiting Meeting in Edinburgh Shows How Seriously the Kaiser Miscalculated.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—One of the roots of the present war was the grave and serious miscalculation regarding the British Empire that German culture and German spirit led Emperor William and the German people into, said Premier Asquith, in addressing a recruiting meeting at Edinburgh, Scotland, tonight.

The Germans were led into the miscalculation, he said, that the British colonies wanted to cut connections with the Mother Country and that India was in revolt.

"What a fantastic dream and what a rude awakening!" exclaimed the Premier.

"It has been proved that Germany, by her own deliberate act, made war," Mr. Asquith continued, adding that Germany has made no attempt to controvert that fact, except by the circulation of wanton falsehoods. It is in the interest, not only of the British Empire, but of civilization, the speaker declared, that the arrogant claim of a single power to dominate the destinies and development of Europe should be resisted.

CHINA'S CONCLUSIVE REPLY

Germany Reminded That She Has Violated Chinese Neutrality—Hint of Active Hostility

PEKING, Thursday, Sept. 18.—The German charge d'affaires, who is full of stories of mythical German victories, today strongly protested to the Chinese Government against Japanese being allowed to operate at Shan Tung.

The charge was gravely reminded that the Germans had sent reservists and had transported contraband of war over Chinese territory since the war started; that, moreover, Kiau-Chau had been leased to Germany under duress and that threats of reprisals after the war might lead to an active hostile attitude of the Chinese Government.

Martial law has been proclaimed in Shan Tung.

TIEN-TSIN, Sept. 19.—A sortie by German troops in an attempt to drive the Japanese from Chi-Mo was repulsed on Wednesday.

MAY EXCHANGE PRISONERS

Negotiations to That End Going on Through U. S. Ambassador Gerard at Berlin

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The official press bureau says the Government has received information that the German Government is prepared to communicate the number of British prisoners in their hands in return for similar information as to German prisoners here.

It is contemplated that such lists, which will include information as to the physical condition of prisoners, will be interchanged periodically.

Arrangements are also being made for the transmission to Germany of letters, parcels and money orders for prisoners.

The German Government intends to permit correspondence between British prisoners and their friends in England.

The Austrian Government, it is also announced, intends to grant similar facilities with regard to prisoners in their hands.

PARIS, Sept. 18.—The French and German Governments are arranging through Washington for the exchange of prisoners of war. It is understood that James W. Gerard, the American Ambassador to Germany, has cabled Germany's adhesion to the plan.

Uhlan Patrol Annihilated

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The official information bureau announces that on September 18 Commander Sampson, with a motor car detachment connected with the flying corps, encountered a patrol of five Uhlans near Soullens, France, killing four and wounding and capturing the fifth. The British suffered no loss.

MORATORIUM IS NOT NEEDED YET

Sir Richard McBride Says Question Is Under Advisement—Action Will Be Taken Promptly if Called For.

Sir Richard McBride was interviewed with reference to the Vancouver dispatch which appeared in The Colonist yesterday morning about a moratorium. It refers to a message to H. H. Stevens, Esq., M.P., Vancouver, received from Sir Robert L. Borden re mortgages and agreements of sale, respecting which the Dominion Government was asked to take action. The Canadian Prime Minister properly stated in his reply that such matters were solely within the jurisdiction of the Province.

Sir Richard said that the question of a moratorium had been under advisement for some time as the result of representations from Ottawa and from local interests. It was, however, a very serious question from many points of view, and the Government hesitated to take any action which might accentuate a situation which it was advisable to minimize, namely, that of creating alarm. The situation created by the war was calculated to, and in many parts of the world actually did, upset credit and render people panicky. In Canada as a whole, and in British Columbia as well, fortunately there has been no serious disturbance of business, and one of the aims of the Government was to maintain stable conditions.

A moratorium, Sir Richard said, could not be declared without authority of the Legislature, and to do that at an early date it would be necessary to call a special session. The Government of the Dominion, although it took authority at the last session of Parliament, had not yet seen any occasion to proclaim a moratorium, and is not likely to do so from present appearances. The whole matter, however, so far as the Province is concerned, is under consideration, and if any grave emergency arose the Government would take the earliest opportunity to deal with it. At such a time as this in respect of mortgages, agreements of sale and other similar liabilities, Sir Richard stated that the utmost leniency should be exercised by creditors, and if by any efforts of extortion the Government were forced to resort to the authority of the Legislature, it would be all the worse for those responsible for such a situation. The Premier said the effort should now be to hold each other up instead of pulling the unfortunate down.

RELIEF FUND IN STATES

British Subjects Formulate Plan to Secure Assistance for Families of Soldiers

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—At a meeting tonight of British subjects held at the British Imperial Club plans were formulated to conduct a campaign for the collection of a relief fund, part of which will be added to the London Prince of Wales' Fund, the remainder to be used for the relief of the families of British soldiers in the United States.

The chairman of the meeting, Jane Kenna Lawson, stated that auxiliaries of the fund will be started in other American cities. Entertainments and benefits will be held and arrangements made to co-operate with Belgian, French and Russian relief funds in the United States, forming an allied federation.

TAKE REVENGE FOR DEFEAT

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Reuter's Antwerp correspondent, telegraphing on Friday, says: "Germans today completed the destruction of the town of Termonde (Dendermonde, sixteen miles southwest of Ghent). The communal offices were bombarded and are in ruins. The church still stands, though its tower is damaged. The hospital was more or less spared, but all other public buildings and houses were destroyed."

GERMAN RIGHT MAY BE TURNED

Talk in Paris of Allied Forces Coming Down on Rear of General von Kluck's Entrenched Army.

NOTHING DEFINITE CAN BE LEARNED

In Meantime Artillery on Both Sides Is Playing Leading Part — Germans' Trenches Are Formidable.

PARIS, Sept. 18.—The city is waiting with keen anticipation the next official announcement from the War Office at Bordeaux.

The announcement that General Joffre and Sir John French had decided not to risk losing heavily in making frontal attacks upon the Germans' entrenched position, but to rely upon the allies' artillery, is considered here to indicate that the superiority of the latter is such, in the opinion of the generals commanding, that the Germans will be driven out of their trenches and forced to fight in the open.

So far the new French field guns, the deadly seventy-five-millimetre, or the three-inch guns, as they are called, are considered to have proved more than a match for the best German field artillery, and the service of the French batteries has been splendid.

Galliani Optimistic

General Galliani himself expresses optimism as to the outcome of the fight. The Germans, he says, cannot attack and defeat the allies, and will be unable to hold their present positions.

Prisoners continue to pour into Paris. They all speak of the terrible execution done by the allies' artillery.

It is not permitted to indicate the movements now going on along the extreme left of the allies' line, but there are reasons for stating that they are likely to have vital bearing on the outcome of the present fight. There are reports of an allied army between General von Kluck's rear and the Belgian border, and, although these cannot be verified, officials say they would not be surprised to find startling developments take place on the left wing very soon.

Most Important Battle

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The correspondent of the Reuter Telegram Company says the consensus of opinion in the French capital is that the battle of the Aisne is the most important since the beginning of the war. His dispatch continues:

"The information communicated by the general staff is considered satisfactory as showing that the allies' frontal

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ROYAL ANNUITY IS SUSPENDED

Government of Britain Stops Payment to Grand Duchess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, Queen Mary's Aunt.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The British Government has decided to suspend the annuity of £3,000 per year received by the Grand Duchess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, a member of the British Royal family, who, by marriage, became a German subject.

The circumstances are indicated in a question in Parliament, whether, in view of the proclamation prohibiting the Government payment of money to any person who lived in an enemy's country, even though payment arose out of a contract made before the war, the Government was proposing to make any further payments to the Grand Duchess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz.

Mr. Lloyd George replied that the payments were suspended.

The Dowager Grand Duchess of Mecklenburg-Strelitz is a sister of the late Duke of Cambridge, and consequently a granddaughter of George III., and first cousin of Queen Victoria.

The Grand Duchess was born in 1822, and married at Buckingham Palace in 1843 to Frederick, hereditary Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Strelitz. She is an aunt of Queen Mary.

SEIZED BY CRUISER

Steamer Heina, Said to Have Been Supplying Coal to Germans, Taken to Martinique

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Sir Courtney Walter Bennett, the British Consul-General here, announced this afternoon the receipt of news that a French cruiser had captured the steamer Heina and had taken her to Martinique. It was said the vessel was serving as a collier at the time of capture, supposedly supplying the German cruisers in the Atlantic, although her mission was not stated.

Sir Courtney said later that the Heina was coaling at the time she was captured. A reporter asked him if the Heina was supplying fuel to the Karlsruhe, a German cruiser which has been dodging British and French warships in the Atlantic.

"You have made a good guess," Sir Courtney replied. He declined to reveal the source of his information concerning the Heina's capture.

PEACE TALK PREMATURE

Russia and Austria Announce Their Intention to Carry On War to Bitter End

PETROGRAD, Sept. 18.—The Exchange News states in an apparently inspired paragraph that Russian diplomacy, in agreement with the allies, has refused to hear any direct or indirect negotiations for peace until the nest of militarists in Germany is completely destroyed and until Prussia ceases to play the predominant role among the German states.

England and France must also first be satisfied that Poland is united and Russia's aims, as well as those of Slavdom in general, are fully attained.

VIENNA, Sept. 18.—It was officially denied by the Foreign Office this afternoon that Austria had made any overtures toward peace. The announcement states that, so far as the war is concerned, Austria will fight to her very last resource to maintain the justice of her cause.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The Daily News announces that it is in a position to state that the determined move for peace being made in the United States is officially inspired from the highest German quarters.

Aeroplane Over Antwerp

ANTWERP, Sept. 18.—At 7 o'clock this morning a Taube aeroplane flew over Antwerp, coming from the west. It circled, flying low, until near the gas works. No bombs were dropped. The forts endeavored to bring it down, without success, the Taube rising to a great height immediately after passing the old fortifications. Belgian aviators gave chase, but the Taube escaped in the direction of Wilryck.

TRUTH PAINFUL TO AMBASSADOR

Count von Bernstorff, in Reply to British "White Paper," Gives Distorted Version of Negotiations.

NEW YORK, Sept. 18.—Count Johann Heinrich von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, took notice of the story printed this morning which told of the issuance of a new "white paper," which, among other things, revealed that Austria was ready to settle with Servia through the medium of diplomacy when Germany made such a peaceful solution of the question impossible by declaring war on Russia and then attacking France.

Count von Bernstorff charged the British Government with preparing the latest "white paper" in London for the purpose of defending the British policy, giving as his reason for this that the newly-published dispatch credited to Sir Maurice de Bunsen, the British ambassador to Austria-Hungary, was openly announced as having been prepared on September 1 last, which, Count von Bernstorff pointed out, was several weeks after Sir Maurice left his post in Vienna. This, said the German ambassador, indicated that the dispatch was written in London for the purpose of defending the British policy.

"According to the 'white paper,' as published here," said Ambassador Bernstorff, "Sir Maurice de Bunsen is supposed to have written this report on September 1, several weeks after he left his post as the British ambassador to Austria-Hungary, so that evidently the dispatch was written in London for the purpose of defending the British policy.

Russian Mobilization

"Sir Maurice de Bunsen concedes what has always been asserted on the German side; that Austria made very great concessions which should have satisfied Russia. These concessions were transmitted to Russia on July 30. The only answer ever received to these concessions from Russia was not, as Sir Maurice claims, the partial mobilization of the Russian army, but the mobilization of the whole army against Austria and Germany, and on July 31 Russian troops crossed the German frontier at various points.

"When Germany asked for an explanation of these facts we never received any answer at all; so, naturally, we had to regard ourselves as being in a state of war with Russia."

Dr. Constantine Theodore Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador, who is also at the Ritz-Carlton, when told of Ambassador Bernstorff's statement, said that he endorsed everything the German ambassador had said.

Count von Bernstorff received a wireless message from the Foreign Office in Berlin tonight which stated that "all French and English reports about victories in France are untrue," and that up to the present time Germany's strategical position has been unaffected. The message also stated that The Temps of Paris gave the British losses along the extended battlefield as 15,000 men killed and wounded, which, the message said, was confirmatory of German success.

Ambassador Ignores Truth

The "white paper" mentioned in the above dispatch is probably that presented to the British Parliament early in September, a study of which shows many inconsistencies on the part of Count Bernstorff. The most important of these is the denial that Russia made any reply to Austria's concessions of

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FIGHTING HARD FOR ADVANTAGE

Allied Armies Are Vigorously Striving to Dislodge Enemy From Strong Defensive Positions on Aisne Front.

MAKING ASSAULTS AND COUNTER ATTACKS

Desperate Attempts of Germans to Break Through Line Are Frustrated—Russia's Millions Advancing.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—For five days the British and French armies have been trying to dislodge the Germans from the strong line of defences which they have constructed on the battle front, stretching from the Oise to the Meuse rivers. There have been attacks and counter-attacks, but, in the words of the official communications, "there has been no change in the situation."

The allies claim to have made some progress at some points against the German right wing north of the River Aisne, and to have repulsed counter attacks there and between Craonne and Rheims, while they say in the centre and on the right the Germans are acting purely on the defensive, having "dug themselves into entrenchments."

The German official reports are almost identical with those of the French, and they say that no decision has been reached, but that the allies' power of resistance is relaxing, that a French attempt to break the German right has failed; that in the centre the Germans are gaining ground steadily, and that an attack by allies from Verdun has been repulsed.

Search for Weak Spots

It would seem that all the commanding generals have not yet found the weak spots in their opponents' positions, and that each is withholding his determined blow for, as Lord Kitchener said in the House of Lords, "the right moment."

The Germans having selected positions which they have strongly fortified, would appear to have the advantage, according to military experts, but for the fact that they must defend the whole of their front to make good their retirement should an attack by their side fail or a smashing blow from the allies break their line, while the allies' forces are declared to be free to mass at any point which General Joffre may wish to attack.

It is not certain where the French general will direct his assault. While the armies forming his left are pressing the German right wing, it is thought to be quite probable that General Joffre is making arrangements for an attempt to strike the German front somewhere north of Verdun, and thus drive the armies of the German Crown Prince, the Duke of Wurtemberg, General von Hausen, General von Buelow and General von Kluck westward and sever their communications with the Rhine through Luxemburg, and compel them to rely on lines running into Belgium, which are menaced by an Anglo-French force operating on the border, as well as by the Belgian army.

Have Strong Positions

However, the Germans are said to be prepared to render terrible resistance to such a move. They are not only in strong positions, where reinforcements of men, munitions and provisions can reach them easily, but they have further defended positions to fall back on if necessary. Furthermore, they are said to be entrenched along the River Sambre from Maubeuge to Namur and along the Meuse from Givet to Namur, so that nothing, evidently, is being left to chance.

It is even reported that the Germans are concentrating trains on the Luxemburg frontier so as to enable them to move troops. This leads some of the military observers to believe that the Germans have decided to remain on the defensive in the west while they are sending their main army east to confront the Russians. Apparently they are concentrating the western armies

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NO DECEPTIVE PEACE

French Comment on Berlin Reports That Project for U. S. Mediation Is on Foot

BORDEAUX, Sept. 18.—The reported project of mediation by the United States among the warring nations has elicited much public and newspaper comment here. Referring to a dispatch emanating from Berlin, according to which a conference to fix the basis of peace already has been summoned in Washington, The Temps says:

"Germans, who are numerous in America, perhaps thought to render a service to their Empire by stirring up opinion; but American opinion, like that of English, or the opinion of any other impartial country, sees through this game and has already given its verdict.

"There is a disaster greater than war. A hasty, deceptive peace would only give a breathing spell, which would enable German militarism to prepare its revenge and a war worse than the present."

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily Colonist, Sept. 19, 1864)

Ball Practice—Section 1, Victoria Volunteer Rifles, engaged in ball practice yesterday on the range at Clover Point. The target consisted of an iron plate 6 feet by two and ¾ of an inch thick, painted white, and erected in front of a wooden boarding about 8 feet square. The firing, considering that it was the first attempt, was not bad, some of the marksmen striking the target at every shot, and two bull's-eyes were made. Distance, 150 yards.

The Indian Murders on the West Coast—H. M. S. Devastation, with Superintendent Smith on board, sailed on Saturday afternoon for the West Coast to look after the murderers of the crew of the sloop Kingfisher.

Another Whisky Seizure—Nearly 200 gallons of Indian whisky was seized on Trial Island on Saturday by Police Sergeant Wilmer, and one of two white men who were implicated was captured, the other making good his escape. It appears that the spot has been for some time a regular rendezvous for dealers in the forbidden commodity, which has been supplied in large quantities to the natives on their way North.

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STEAMERS MEET IN ST. LAWRENCE

Fourteen Lives Lost in Collision Between Government Vessel Montmagny and Steamer Lingan.

QUEBEC, Sept. 18.—Eleven children, two women and one man were drowned as the result of a fatal collision which occurred between the Canadian Government steamer Montmagny and the steamer Lingan, just below Crane Island, this morning.

The dead: Mrs. Joseph Richards, this city, aged forty years, and seven children, ranging from two to fourteen years old. Mrs. Joseph Lavelle, of Montmagny, thirty-five years of age, and four young children. Mr. Joseph Lachance, second officer of the Montmagny.

Mrs. Richards was the wife of the lighthouse keeper at Belle Isle, and Mrs. Lavelle was the wife of the lighthouse keeper at Flower Island, on the Newfoundland coast opposite Point Amour. She had five children, only one of whom is left. He was with his father at the lighthouse.

The Montmagny, Captain Poulit, with supplies for the diffegent lighthouses in the Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf, left Quebec at 1 a.m. on Thursday. She stopped at St. Lawrence Point, Island of Orleans. After landing supplies there, she went to St. John's, on the same Island. She left there at 2 o'clock this morning headed for Travers pier, where it was intended to land some lumber. After passing Crane Island about 4:15 a.m., the people in bed and those on deck heard the telegraph signal to the engineer to "stand by."

Sinks in a Few Minutes

A couple of minutes after the signal was given there was a heavy crash, and those who were in bed rushed on deck to find that the ship had been in collision and was badly damaged. The wireless operator got his apparatus ready to send signals, but in a few moments it was rendered useless, as the water rushed in and destroyed the dynamo. Orders were given to lower the boats, but before they could be executed the ship went down.

The vessel which was in collision with the Montmagny, and which proved to be the Lingan, kept close to the damaged ship, and her crew, the majority of whom were Chinese, worked like Trojans, lifting the people out of the water into their own vessel. They had hardly taken the last man aboard when the Montmagny went down.

The Montmagny was struck on the port side abaft the bridge, close to the engine room. The blow must have been a severe one, as the water rushed in at a terrific rate, and it is stated that she went down in between three and four minutes after the collision. Of the twelve passengers she had on board, eleven were drowned.

Captain Garbutt says at the time of the accident the weather was clear, with day breaking. The chief officer, Pilot Caudreau and apprentice Pilot Koenig were on the bridge of the steamer when the accident took place.

BATTLE GOES ON DAY AND NIGHT

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Telegraph Company's Paris correspondent in a dispatch received tonight says:

"An account of the five days' battle on the Aisne River, which he described as the fiercest in the western theatre since the beginning of the war, was given by a French officer who arrived in Paris today.

"On the morning of the 14th, the officer said, the Germans called a halt, but by afternoon the battle had become general. All the next day the battle was of a ding-dong nature, the Germans evidently awaiting reinforcements.

"During the night, however, they delivered a furious attack on the extreme left, but the British and French troops gallantly met the onslaught, repulsing the Germans no fewer than ten times, with fearful losses.

"The Germans still came on, however, seeking to pierce the French lines. There has been nothing like it since the beginning of the campaign. The enemy hurled dense masses of troops at us in a supreme endeavor to check our forward progress, but when dawn came we still held the position and even had gained ground slightly.

"The artillery duel was continued throughout the next day. The morning of the 17th again saw desperate fighting. This time we threw the Germans back some ten kilometres, capturing six hundred men and many mitrailleuses."

Official Statements

LONDON, Sept. 18.—An announcement issued by the official press bureau this evening says: "According to reports received this afternoon there is no particular change in the situation.

"There has been some activity on the part of the allied cavalry, but without at the present time any definite result."

PARIS, Sept. 18.—The following official communication was issued here this afternoon:

"There is no change in the general situation, except that we have continued our progress on the left wing, and that a lull in the battle is noticed."

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The Copenhagen correspondent of The Central News has forwarded the following dispatch received from Berlin:

"The situation of the German troops in the great battle on the western frontier is good, especially in the centre, where the Germans have received substantial reinforcements. The end of the battle is expected soon."

FURTHER CASUALTIES

War Office Receives Names of 12 Officers Killed, 24 Wounded and 7 Missing

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The War Office has received from headquarters at the front, under date of September 15, the names of twelve officers killed, thirty-four wounded and seven missing.

Among those killed was Lieut.-Colonel B. H. Montressor, of the Sussex Regiment.

Lieut.-Colonel H. C. Lowther, D. S. O., of the Scots Guards, is among the wounded. Col. Lowther was secretary to H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught, 1911-'13. He is a veteran of the South African war, when he was twice mentioned in dispatches and received his D. S. O.

FALL FAIR AT DUNCAN

Unfavorable Weather Has Bad Effect on Attendance—Fine Display of Fruit and Vegetables

DUNCAN, B.C., Sept. 18.—Inclement weather conditions kept down the attendance at the Cowichan Fall Fair today. Scarcely 300 persons visited the show grounds.

Except for a few hours in the morning it rained persistently all day, and the stock judging, which was being conducted in the open, had to be postponed until Saturday.

In the opinion of the judges, the fruit and vegetables compare favorably with those of other districts of the Province whose fairs they have attended. They were struck in particular with the apple exhibits, of which there were some very fine specimens on show.

Dr. H. T. Rutherford was the most prominent winner in the fruit division. He captured four of the leading prizes for commercially packed apples. Mr. P. W. A. Jones, of Chemainus, was also a leader in this section, taking five firsts and an equal number of seconds. Among the other foremost winners were Mrs. W. H. Hayward, W. Herd, A. J. Rudkin, L. O. Averill, H. T. Rutherford and Rev. Father Scheelan.

In the vegetable division A. G. Price and A. J. Bell were among the leading prize winners. P. W. A. Jones, E. T. Cresswell, Mrs. A. Peterson, Mrs. W. H. Hayward, A. J. Rudkin, Mrs. Crichton, E. R. Roberts and A. R. Wilson were also prominent in this section. A mammoth pumpkin, weighing over 125 pounds, exhibited by Master C. Price, captured first prize for the biggest vegetable of this variety.

The judging of the stock will be continued tomorrow.

TRUTH PAINFUL TO AMBASSADOR

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received from M. Sazonoff, Russian Minister for Foreign Affairs, a copy of the latter's telegram of July 31, to July 30. On August 1 Sir Edward Grey Count Berchthold, the Austrian Foreign Minister, which was as follows: "Formula amended in accordance with English proposal: 'If Austria consents to stay the march of her troops on Servian territory, and if, recognizing that the Austro-Servian conflict has assumed the character of a question of European interest, she admits that the great powers may examine the satisfaction which Servia can accord to the Austro-Hungarian Government, without injury to her sovereign rights as a state, and to her independence, Russia undertakes to preserve her waiting attitude.'"

This reply was sent to Austria the day following the receipt of Austria's communication, which had declared the readiness of Austria to discuss the substance of the Austrian ultimatum to Servia. In notifying Austria, M. Sazonoff expressed his satisfaction, and said that it was desirable that the discussions should take place in London, with the participation of the great powers, and "hoped that the British Government would assume the direction of these discussions. The whole of Europe would be thankful to them."

Sir Edward Grey also notified Sir Maurice de Bunsen of the substance of a message by Count Berchthold to Russia, as communicated to him by Count Mensdorff, the Austrian ambassador in London, who drew special attention to the statement included in the telegram that conversations had not been broken off at St. Petersburg. Other correspondence shows that M. Sazonoff and the Austrian ambassador at St. Petersburg were conferring on the matter as late as July 31, and that M. Sazonoff pointed out that he had acceded to every suggestion, including those for a conference of the four great powers, for mediation by Great Britain and Italy and direct conversation between Austria and Russia, but Germany and Austria had either rendered these attempts for peace ineffective by evasive replies or refused them altogether.

M. Sazonoff said he was completely weary of the ceaseless endeavors he made to avoid war.

CZAR'S FORCES DRIVE ONWARD

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ette, a mountain pass at the Italian frontier end of the Lago di Garda, and surrounding all approaches to the forts with barbed wire obstructions. The roads have all been mined and trenches dug on every side. Even women have been requisitioned for the work.

"No secret is being made of the feverish work going on to strengthen the fortifications along the Italo-Austrian frontier."

Pola Troubled

ROME, Sept. 18.—It is reported here that the telegraph and telephone wires out of Pola, the great naval port and arsenal of Austria, situated on the Bay of Porto Delle Rose, on the Istria Peninsula, have been cut and that bombs have been thrown into the barracks. Report has it also that mines have been discovered in the canal leading to the arsenal, which were not laid by the Austrian authorities.

GERMAN RIGHT MAY BE TURNED

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attack is developing under favorable conditions, and that the enemy's counter attacks are being repulsed. It must be realized, however, that the allies' gains necessarily are very slow, owing to the enormous strength of the German fortified positions.

"It seems probable that final success will be achieved by threatening the German communications rather by the carrying their positions by a frontal attack. Meanwhile it must not be imagined that the enemy's communications are so precarious as is generally supposed. So long as the Germans hold Tergnier and Laon they have at their disposal to replenish their supplies and munitions not only two lines of railway running across the Belgian province of Luxemburg and the department of Meuse, France, but also the Belgian railway system entering France by way of Mons, St. Quentin and Tergnier.

Formidable Trenches

"The German trenches to the north of Chalons-sur-Marne are very strong. They are more than three feet deep, with splinter screens every twenty yards and resting places covered with house doors, which are themselves covered with earth. The trenches consist of several parallel rows flanked by other trenches running at right angles and containing concealed machine guns. It is easy to understand that confronted by such obstacles the allies advance is necessarily slow."

STEAM SCHOONER MEETS DISASTER

Francis H. Leggett Reported by Wireless Message to Have Sunk Sixty Miles South of Columbia River.

PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 18.—The three-masted steam schooner Francis H. Leggett, with thirty-seven passengers and a crew of about twenty men, sank late today in a gale sixty miles south of the Columbia River, according to a wireless message received here tonight. No word was received as to the fate of the passengers and crew.

The Leggett was going from Hoquiam to San Francisco, and left here for Hoquiam September 12. Tonight's message was received by the Port of Portland Commission, and was said to have come from a Japanese cruiser. The same advices, it was reported, were sent to the Japanese Consul at Vancouver. Diligent efforts to get further details were unavailing.

The text of the message received by the Port of Portland Commission was brief, saying merely:

"Leggett sank at 3:15 p.m. Sixty miles south."

There was no signature, and the information that the message came from a warship was given by the wireless station at Astoria.

May Have Been Collision

SEATTLE, Sept. 18.—In connection with the report of the sinking of the steam schooner Francis H. Leggett, S. Takahashi, Japanese Consul here, said tonight he had been notified through the Marconi wireless station that a vessel had been sunk off the Columbia River, and, through the same agency, had heard rumors that the sinking of the vessel had come about through a collision with the Japanese cruiser Idzumo.

SWITZERLAND SUFFERS

Placed Under Heavy Expense by War and Her Industries Ruined—Army Is Retired

BERNE, Switzerland, Sept. 18.—Switzerland is almost completely ruined by the war. This was admitted today, when orders were issued retiring the army, which has been kept mobilized since the outbreak of the war in order to prevent violation of her neutrality.

The total daily expense to the nation for the period of mobilization is estimated at $300,000. To this enormous amount must be added the cost to the national industries, most of which have been completely ruined.

The great hotels, usually filled with tourists, have been forced to close their doors. The situation from the economic standpoint is admittedly serious.

Sugar Company's Contribution

WALLACEBURG, Ont., Sept. 18.—The Dominion Sugar Company, Wallaceburg, has, it is announced, contributed, through its Montreal office, $10,000 to the Canadian National Patriotic Fund.

FIGHTING HARD FOR ADVANTAGE

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for, with the exception of occasional Uhlan troops. Northwestern France seems nearly clear of Germans.

The Calais and Boulogne routes to Paris have been reopened.

One of the Uhlan patrols was caught by a British armored motor car on the main road north of Amiens a few days ago and four out of its five men were killed.

Millions of Russians

Reports received from Petrograd today say that the Russian pursuit of the Austrians continues and that the Russians have gained important successes over the Austrian rearguard. Convoys of two army corps, with thirty guns and ammunition and 5,000 prisoners, are said to have been captured. The whole of the Austro-Russian border between Yusevoff and Annahol is reported to be overrun by Cossacks, who are leading the Russian advance.

The Russian army now in Galicia will be left there to complete its work, for, according to a Rome dispatch, an army of 900,000 Russians is marching into Central Poland, followed by another of 1,000,000, while a third army, also aggregating 2,000,000, is coming from more distant regions and will reach the front in October.

There already are said to be 1,000,000 Russians in Galicia and 500,000 in East Prussia. While these numbers seem enormous, they are considered probably a fair estimate of what Russia will have soon available for prosecuting the war. It is said that she will soon have 7,000,000 men on the move.

While continuing the offensive in Galicia, Russia is standing on the defensive on the East Prussian frontier, her army having been driven back by the Germans. This army, however, is said to be intact.

There was a remarkable scene today in the House of Commons after the signing of the Home Rule Bill by King George. For the first time, as far as can be remembered, the Members of the House sang "God Save the King," and the Nationalists, who previously had refrained from singing the national anthem, joined in.

Another precedent will be broken when Premier Asquith and John Redmond, the Irish leader, address recruiting meetings in Ireland, and still another when the Irish legion, which the Nationalists are forming, fights under the British flag. There have been many Irish legions, some of which have fought on French soil, but, with one exception, never under the flag of Great Britain.

Prisoners Liberated at Lemberg

PETROGRAD, Sept. 18.—The Russians have liberated in Lemberg 15,000 prisoners, most of them arrested for sedition since the outbreak of the war.

Austrian Reservists

SARNIA, Ont., Sept. 18—Five more Austrian reservists were removed from here to old Fort Henry, Kingston today, the 27th regiment furnishing a guard.

Flew Roumanian Flag

PARIS, Sept. 18.—A Marseilles dispatch to the Havas Agency says: "A French crew brought into port yesterday a cargo boat that had just been captured in the Mediterranean. The ship flew the Roumanian flag when captured, but in reality it is a German vessel."

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FISHERIES REPORT IS MOST INTERESTING

Hon. W. J. Bowser, Commissioner of Fisheries, Issues Valuable Treatise Dealing With Past Year's Work.

The report of Honorable W. J. Bowser, Commissioner of Fisheries, which has just been issued, is the lengthiest yet put forth by the Provincial Department, and, incidentally, the most interesting. In addition to the statistics of the catch for 1913 and the discussion of various matters of policy and demonstration, the main report summarizes exhaustive papers by Dr. C. H. Gilbert, upon the life history of the sockeye salmon; Dr. Joseph Stafford, upon the native oyster of British Columbia; W. F. Thompson, on the shell fish of the Coast, and Dr. C. F. Newcombe, upon the numbers and distribution of sea-lions upon the Coast. The report is illustrated with some fifty-seven plates and concludes with a map which indicates the location of the different halibut banks in the waters adjacent to British Columbia. Amongst the appendices the papers above referred to are included, while John P. Babcock, assistant to the Commissioner of Fisheries, deals exhaustively with the conditions which existed last year in the Canyon of the Fraser. At this point, as a result of railway construction, millions of sockeye salmon failed to reach their spawning beds and died without spawning. With reference to the next "big-year" run, Mr. Babcock states:

"These facts, in my opinion, warrant the conclusion that the number of sockeye which spawn in the Fraser River watershed this year was not sufficient to make the run four years hence even approximate the runs even of 1905, 1909 or 1913."

Dr. Joseph Stafford, of McGill University, during the months of May and September of 1913, carried on investigations into the life history of the Pacific Coast oyster. These include observations on distribution, mode of occurrence, manner of life, activities, defence, competition, kind of food, organization, breeding, development of young, favorable and adverse physical conditions of the substratum, sea-water, salinity, temperature, the time and manner of spawning, how to find and recognize the different stages of development, length of period of each stage, rate of growth, death rate, cause of premature death.

The Sockeye Salmon

The efforts which had been made by Dr. Gilbert on behalf of the Provincial Department to solve the life history of that mysterious visitant, the sockeye salmon, prove very interesting in reading. Interesting light upon the growth and development of the Fraser River sockeye is afforded, while the different stages of development are dealt with and interesting facts adduced as to phases of growth characteristic of sockeye migrating to the Fraser River, Rivers Inlet, Skeena River, Naas River. It will be remembered that Dr. Gilbert was the first to elaborate the system of scale-reading as applied to the salmon of the Coast. Interesting plates dealing with this are included. A number of Dr. Gilbert's conclusions are summarized as follows:

(1) "An examination of the Fraser River sockeye run at frequent intervals throughout 1913, the big year of the cycle, resulted in a complete verification of the prophecy made by the writer in 1912 (see British Columbia Report of the Commissioner of Fisheries for 1912, pp. 22 and 63), to the effect that 'the enormous numbers of a big year must consist in overwhelming proportions of four-year-olds,' inasmuch as 'the five-year fish present—developed in their due proportion from the few eggs of an "off-year"—would be too scattered to produce any effect among the vast hordes of four-year-olds.' Among nearly 2,000 sockeyes of the year 1913 run taken at random there were found but three five-year fish. It will be recalled that in 1911 about 46 per cent of the run consisted of five-year fish, and in 1912 about 10 per cent."

Run of the Big Year

The fact that practically the only class of fish present in this run of the big year of the cycle possessed the type of scale which the writer had previously determined to indicate four years of age is sufficient demonstration of the correctness of that determination. In sharp contrast stands the interpretation of the scale adopted by Professor J. P. McMurrish, and reaffirmed by him in a recent paper, according to which the Fraser River sockeyes of the 1913 run would have to be considered three-year-olds. To maintain a four-year cycle with three-year fish might well tax the resources of the most ingenious theorist.

(2) The question has been frequently raised concerning the relation of the Fraser River sockeye to those of the Skagit River, in the State of Washington. In size and general appearance the fish of these two streams are strikingly similar, to such an extent, indeed, that dealers and fish experts generally admit they cannot distinguish the one from the other. Both runs enter the Straits of Fuca and pursue the same course as far as the entrance to Deception Pass, inside which lies the mouth of the Skagit River. They are both captured in the same traps on the west shore of Whidby Island, but the Skagit fish run earlier in the season and have, in fact, about completed their run when the advance guard bound for the Fraser makes its appearance. The question at issue is whether the progeny from the two streams join forces in the sea, become indistinguishable, and return indifferently to one or the other stream, or whether each breed returns to its own river.

Question Is Decided

Examination of the scales has decided the question at once and incontestably. Any ten Skagit River sockeyes of the 1913 run taken at random could be distinguished from any ten Fraser River fish of the same year by the scale-structure, and by the widely differing proportions of the age-groups represented in the two runs. To this can be added the fact that the Skagit River run exhibits no increase during the big years of the Fraser cycle, and does not follow in any way the oscillations in that stream. It is, then, a matter of practical fish-culture, and can be positively asserted, that the output of these two streams is entirely distinct and unrelated, that an increased hatch of sockeyes in the Fraser River will not affect the run in the Skagit, and conversely that no fish-cultural operations in the Skagit watershed will have any effect in keeping up the Fraser River run.

(3) Examination of sockeye scales from all the principal streams of the Province during the two successive seasons, 1912 and 1913, has shown beyond question that each of these—Rivers Inlet, the Skeena, and the Naas—possesses, as does the Fraser, its own separate colony of sockeyes, which exhibit differences in habit, in method of growth, and in period of maturity—these differences persisting from year to year and constituting each of these colonies a distinct biologic race. This fact disposes effectively of the general question concerning the return of our salmon at maturity to the river basins in which they were hatched. It can now be affirmed with entire confidence that they do so return, that they are effectively isolated, and that they interbreed thus within the limits of their colony. They have in this manner established racial peculiarities, which find expression not only during their sojourn of a year in their native streams or lake, when a peculiar environment might be thought to produce the effect, but also during the three or four years of their later life in the ocean, when it would seem the conditions must be uniform for all neighboring colonies.

Incipient Species

That we are here approaching as near as may be the formation of incipient species under the influence of isolation admits no question. Structural features, which are more conservative and resistant, have not been modified, but other peculiarities yield more readily. Those who deal with these fish commercially know well that the product of different streams may show wide differences in the size and the proportions of the fish, in the color of the flesh, and in the amount of oil which it contains. The study of the scales opens up an entirely new field of investigation, and demonstrates that, from different basins, fishes which appear wholly similar to the eye may have had quite dissimilar habits and methods of growth, and that these differences have come to mark the races to which they belong. That a few strays pass from one stream to another is entirely probable. That such is the case has been demonstrated in the Atlantic salmon by marking experiments, but it has also been shown by the same method that a vast proportion return and are recaptured in their native stream. The strays are in such small proportion as not to hinder the effective isolation of the colony.

The Young Sockeye

(4) By means of the scale method of investigation we have been able during the past season to throw additional light on the fate of the young sockeyes after they leave their native streams and enter the sea—a matter of great economic importance. As first shown by Mr. J. P. Babcock, in the report of the Fisheries Commissioner for 1903 (p.8), the seaward movement of young fish in the Fraser River comprises both fry of the year and also yearlings which have lingered in the fresh waters since the preceding season. The same condition was demonstrated in 1904 for Rivers Inlet (Fisheries Commissioner's report for 1904, p.8), and while other observations in British Columbia are lacking, it is probable that the downward migration of young in all the larger rivers of the Province consists in part of fry, one and a half inches or less in length, and in part yearlings. The fate of these two groups is universally recognized as a fish-cultural problem of prime importance.

Examination of the scales from all important sockeye streams of the Province has shown for each basin that adult fish are derived from yearling migrants, to the practical exclusion of those which migrate as fry. Out of some 8,000 sockeyes of the 1913 run, only twelve fish seemed, with some probability, to have developed from fry migrants. It would seem, then, that, with few exceptions, the fry of this species perish after entering the sea. The only alternative to this conclusion is that fry develop in the sea in precisely the same manner, at the same rate, and with all the local peculiarities which mark those of their own basin, which develop for a year in their native lake. To one acquainted with all the facts, such an hypothesis appears impossible and absurd.

Waste of Fry

The deplorable waste occasioned by the loss of vast numbers of fry cannot be checked, it would seem, in the case of such progeny as are the result of natural spawning. They cannot be held back from migrating as fry, if the instinct seizes them. But the case is different in hatchery practice. Here it is still the custom to release the young as soon as the egg-sac is absorbed and free feeding begins. But, in view of the conditions here pointed out, it would appear imperative that the fry of the year hereafter should be held in troughs or ponds and fed until midsummer, when the time for downward migration will have passed. They can then be deposited in the lake with full confidence that they will pass to sea as yearlings the following Spring.

RATEPAYERS VOTE ON BY-LAWS TODAY

Saanich Property Holders Will Pass Judgment on Number of Municipal Enterprises—List of Polling Places.

Ward 1—New School, Cedar Hill Road.
Ward 2—Tolmie School, Boleskine Road.
Ward 3—Gordon Head Hall.
Ward 4—Mackenzie Ave. School.
Ward 5—Royal Oak School.
Ward 6—Temperance Hall, East Saanich Road.
Ward 7—Vacant Store, corner of Gorge and Tillicum Roads.

At the centres enumerated in the different wards of the Saanich Municipality the ratepayers today will record their will with respect to four by-laws, which propose the raising of something over $800,000 for various public works. The deputy returning officers will be at their posts from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. There is no doubt, if the attendance and the keen interest displayed at a series of meetings which concluded on Thursday can be accepted as an indication, that there will be a large vote from those residing in the municipality. Whether those owning property within its confines and living in the city will be out in the same proportionate numbers is another question. In order that the latter, however, may have an opportunity to cast their ballots without inconvenience, arrangements have been made for local headquarters at the offices of the Canadian Financiers, Union Bank Building, View Street, whence motor cars will be dispatched to the different polling booths.

The by-laws are as follows:

Pavement—Which provides for the paving of different main arteries of the municipality from the city limits to the outside boundary. Money required, $450,000.

Water Works—Which proposes the installation of a distribution system which may be extended as the necessity arises. Money required, $375,000.

School—Which is designed to provide for the purchase of a site and the construction of a modern school near the junction of Tillicum and Gorge Roads. Money required, $50,000.

Water Agreement—Which asks the ratepayers' endorsation of an agreement entered into with Victoria for the purchase of water at a rate of six cents a thousand gallons for the first 1,000,000 gallons, five cents a thousand for all over 1,000,000 gallons up to 2,000,000 gallons, and 4 cents a thousand gallons for all over 2,000,00 gallons.

Reeve's Statement

Last evening Reeve George McGregor stated that he did not think it necessary to say anything more in explanation of the projects. It was understood, he presumed, that if the pavement loan was defeated, the Municipality would lose $150,000. This sum would be made up of the $100,000 promised by the Provincial Government and the $50,000 which would have to be paid to reimburse the Warren Construction Co. for work already done. He thought, perhaps, it might be made clearer that, of the $450,000 it was proposed to raise, Saanich would expend over $200,000 on the grading and ditching of the thoroughfares which would be improved. The remainder of the first mentioned sum, together with the Government's $100,000, would be used on the cement base and the bitulithic surface of the various roads. There was no doubt that the revised agreement with the contractors was one worthy of endorsation, and he hoped that the ratepayers would give it the stamp of their approval. He expressed the same sentiment with respect to all the other by-laws, stating that all were in the interests of the municipality and that the total increase in taxation would be so small as to be insignificant in comparison with the benefits derived.

In connection with the school by-law, and by way of illustrating the need of a school at the corner of the Tillicum and Burnside Roads, it was stated yesterday that a temporary building would be erected there for the accommodation of the children of that section. This had been made possible through the donation of the use of two lots by Mr. Watters, whose generosity had made it possible to proceed with the work immediately.

Dr. Hall to Lecture—Dr. Ernest Hall will lecture at the Emmanuel Baptist Church on Monday evening next at 8 p.m., under the auspices of the B. Y. [illegible]

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THE WAR

Yesterday's dispatches did not lend themselves to much useful comment. A great battle is in progress, and it is said that the allies very considerably outnumber the Germans. While the latter have endeavored to press home several counter attacks, which had failed up to nightfall yesterday, they have been acting mainly on the defensive. It has been stated that the allied left has been endeavoring to outflank the German right. This was two days ago, and since then nothing has been heard from that part of the battlefield, except the statement that Northwestern France is almost clear of the enemy. If the necessary troops are available, an outflanking movement may be carried out, and, if so, the position of the German right and centre would become exceedingly hazardous. The German left is having a hard time. The dispatches say the army of the Crown Prince has "turned" at Montfaucon. This means that it has ceased to retire and has taken up a defensive position. There are several Montfaucons in France, but none of our works of reference or maps show any place of that name north of Verdun. The present position of this army is such that the German line of defence has been straightened and now extends in a nearly east and west direction about ninety miles. If readers have at hand a copy of the map printed in this paper on Tuesday and Wednesday last, and will measure two and a half inches in a northeasterly direction from Paris, that is so that the line will pass just before the initial S in the name Soissons, they will find the location of Noyon, which is the extreme right of the German position according to the dispatches of yesterday. It is between the rivers Aisne and Oise. Soissons is in possession of the allies. Laon is in possession of the Germans.

A very suggestive dispatch was received yesterday to the effect that the Belgian army has been reinforced. This is emphasized in last night's telegrams, which say that important developments may be expected from Belgium and Northwestern France. These statements, taken in connection with certain information that has come from England by mail, strengthen the idea that there may have been more than mere talk in the story of Russians being sent to Great Britain from Archangel. The official denial of the presence of Russians in Belgium was doubtless perfectly true. There is so little difficulty in bringing soldiers from Archangel that no surprise need be experienced if it is found later that they have been so brought.

Archangel is distant from the North Cape not more than forty-eight hours' steaming for England's fast transport steamers, and from North Cape the run can be made to Leith by these same vessels under moderate steaming in about fifty hours. Five days from Archangel to Leith may be regarded as a fair steaming run for England's fast troop ships. Archangel is in direct railway connection with Vologda to the south. The distance is 396 miles. From Vologda to Moscow is 304 miles, making a total distance from Moscow to Archangel of 700 miles, about the same distance as between Paris and Berlin. The Archangel railway is one of the great military strategic roads of Russia.

We are inclined to think, from a general view of the dispatches received yesterday, that the operations along the Aisne are not likely to be pushed by the allies to a decisive result for some days yet; but rather that our forces will be content to drive the Germans back little by little if they can, while the flanking movement of the allied left is being carried out with assistance from the reinforced Belgian army, and the German left is being forced back upon its centre. A frontal attack upon an entrenched enemy would cost many lives and might result disastrously, whereas by careful manoeuvreing and the bringing up of fresh troops, the allies may get themselves in such a position as to threaten all the German lines of communication except one, namely, that through Eastern Belgium and Luxemburg, which is hardly sufficient to provide for the needs of so large an army and will afford a very inadequate line of retreat. The statement that the Germans are fortifying positions in the Sambre indicates, if true, that they are preparing to defend this line of retreat from being cut off by an army from Southwestern Belgium.

PENSIONS

A sense of patriotic duty will lead the people of Canada to provide for the immediate wants of the families of those men who have gone on active service, and by immediate we mean those that may arise during the continuance of the war, but it is obvious that the matter cannot be allowed to rest there. It is the duty of the people of Canada to see that the families of those who may lose their lives, or the individuals who may be rendered in any degree incapable of earning a livelihood, by reason of wounds or sickness arising out of the war, have ample provision made for them. There is certain to come a time when patriotic funds will be exhausted, and in the years that will follow the war, those who have suffered injury or bereavement because of it must be cared for by the state. The burden may be light or it may be heavy, but whether it is light or heavy, it is one that ought to be borne by all the people, for the reason that all the people are being served by the men who have volunteered.

We realize that a pension system may be easily abused, but that is no reason why one should not be established at the earliest possible day, for no one can tell how soon there may be families in Canada who will be in need of more permanent aid than any patriotic fund can undertake to provide. We have no doubt that this subject has already received consideration at the hands of the Dominion Government, and we feel very sure that the country will see to it that those who suffer wounds or bereavement in the war will be well cared for, but it will do no harm, and might relieve a good deal of anxiety, if Parliament at its next session will make the necessary provision.

THE MARKET

Notwithstanding the very unfavorable weather yesterday morning, the opening of the Victoria public market was successful, and our information is that the producers who brought in stuff for sale were so well pleased that they will come again. Frankly we were prepared for disappointment, when the rain set in on Thursday, and we had it in mind to ask the farmers not to be discouraged. But that is not necessary, we are very glad to say.

One thing in evidence was that there were more purchasers than could be supplied, but this is a failing on the right side. It does not surprise us that this should have been the case, for the reason above given. We hope that on next market day there will be no shortage, so that intending customers will not have to go away disappointed. Great credit is due to the ladies of Victoria for the manner in which they patronized the market. They will be glad to learn that every stall has been engaged for next market day.

RUSSIANS AND PRUSSIANS

The apologists for German aggression say that it is necessary that Germany should be strong so as to protect civilization from Russia, and a high German authority is on record as saying that the object of his country is to prevent an Asiatic race from overrunning Europe. In answer to this it is only necessary to say that at the present time Russian aggrandizement would only be a menace to Prussia, while German aggrandizement would be a menace to the world. But the Russians are not an Asiatic race any more than are the Prussians. Let us first inquire, briefly, who the Prussians are. They are very far from being a pure race. It is very difficult to trace the origin of any people, and especially a people inhabiting a land that has, through many centuries, been in the line of advance of one race after another. We do not know who the aboriginal inhabitants of Prussia were, that is, using the word "aboriginal" as meaning the people inhabiting the country before the beginning of authentic history. We know very little, indeed, of Prussia before the fifth century. It is possible that it was then inhabited by Celtic tribles, who migrated westward before the great movement of people from Asia, which began sometime about the beginning of the Christian era—before it rather than after it. It is known, historically, that the Huns, who were of Turanian stock—that is, of the same stock as the Turks and Tartars, occupied the shores of the Baltic as far west as the Elbe. Their domain extended from the Baltic to the Black Sea, and they occupied what is now Russia, as far north as the Gulf of Bothnia. They are supposed to have come originally from Central Asia. At what date they were supplanted, or, rather, conquered, by the Teutonic and Slavic tribes, and to what extent they were extinguished as a race by these invaders, it is impossible to say; but there is little room for doubt that the foundation stock of the people of Eastern Prussia was largely Hunnish. The first historic knowledge of the Teutonic race, which is that from which the Germans of the West are sprung, is that they were living in what is now Denmark, Hanover and Mechlinburg. They gradually extended their influence easterly, and in the course of several centuries were able to dominate the region along the Beltic up to that time occupied by the Huns. To what extent they were assisted in this by the Vandals, who were also at one time resident on the shores of the Baltic, must remain uncertain. The Prussians are, therefore, a mixed race in whose veins flows the blood of an unknown aboriginal tribe, and of the Huns, the Vandals, the Slave and the Teutons, the latter predominating, except in the East.

The Russians are also a mixed race, and of not very different origin from the Prussians. The predominating characteristic, in their case, is the Slavonian. The origin of the Slavs is unknown, but it is certain that at one time they occupied all Eastern and Central Europe. It is possible that they may have been the aboriginal inhabitants of that part of the continent. Some investigators think they have discovered evidence that they came from Asia; but really nothing is definitely known on the point. When we get farther back than the sixth century anything that can be said about the origin and location of the races of Europe, outside of the bounds of the Roman Empire, is largely guesswork. The Teutonic inroad, if the Teutons were not indigenous to Europe, or if they were, the Teutonic expansion, together with the migration of the Goths, Vandals and other tribes, so modified the racial character of the Slavonian inhabitants of Central Europe that what was virtually a new race was developed. The Slavs, however, found room for developing as a distinct people on the steppes of Russia, from which they may have overflowed into the Balkan peninsula. At the dawn of Russian civilization a very important addition was made to the population by the comnig of the Varangians, a tribe whose original home seems to have been in Sweden, and who were able to make themselves masters of the central part of what is now Russia-in-Europe. The descendants of the Varangians laid the foundations of the Russian Empire. The Cossacks, formerly confined to Southern Russia, are now spread over all parts of it. So far as is known they are not of Asiatic origin, but at the beginning of history lived on the shores of the Black Sea. Whatever they may have once been, they are no longer a pure race, being made of descendants of the original stock and of representatives of nearly every European race, their free life having many attractions to men who had "left their country for their country's good." For several centuries the Mongols dominated a large part of Russia, and it is highly probable that they influenced to some extent the racial character of the people. It is this that is the origin of the expression, "Scratch a Russian and you will find a Tartar." Their influence in this respect was less, however, than might be supposed, for the reason that the Mongols were ultimately driven out of the country. The Slavic blood predominates in Russia, and the reason given for it is that from time immemorial Slav women have only married Slav men. The men sometimes marry women of other origin, but not often.

The above facts, which are as nearly correct as we can get them after a good deal of research, seem to warrant the conclusion that there is quite as much reason to call the Russians a European race as to call the Prussians so. Indeed, one theory of ethnologists is that the Slavs were the original Europeans, who were driven into the wastes of Russia and the mountains of the Balkan Peninsula by the incursions of other tribes.

It may be interesting to note in this connection that the only people in Europe upon whom the invasion of the Huns made no impression racially are the inhabitants of the British Isles and Scandinavia.

TERMS OF PEACE

The Philadelphia Times, a paper of repute, says the German Ambassador at Washington is responsible for the statement that his country was ready, before the recent retreat of its army from before Paris, to negotiate peace upon the following terms:

The naval supremacy of Great Britain to be conceded and to be hereafter recognized;

No territorial aggrandizement to be asked at the expense of France.

The kingdom of Poland to be reestablished as a buffer state.

All existing colonial possessions to be recognized.

The Times says that the Ambassador will neither admit nor deny the authenticity of the report which attributes this statement to him. It is essentially weak in one particular. It does not provide for any reparation to Belgium. Even if Great Britain, France and Russia might be content with such terms, it would be unthinkable that they could permit Belgium to remain without redress for the dreadful wrong that has been done her.

EAST PRUSSIA

The general elevation of East Prussia is low, but by no means flat, as in the southern part, there is a ridge or plateau rising to the height of 1,025 feet at a point near the western boundary. The country is sprinkled with lakes, among them being the Spirding See, occupying forty-six square miles and being the largest in Germany. The coast is lined with low dunes or sandhills, in front of which lie the large littoral lakes or lagoons, including the Frische Haff, on which the town of Koenigsberg stands. East Prussia is the coldest region of Germany, the mean annual temperature of Tilsit, in the northeast corner, being only 35 degrees Fahrenheit. About half the province is cultivated, the remainder being about equally divided between forest and meadow land. The most fertile soil is found in the basins of the Pregel and Memel, but to the south and in the district to the north of the Memel the land is practically barren, the surface being occupied by marshes, sand and sterile moorland. In the fertile land the chief crops are rye, oats and potatoes. Flax is grown in certain regions. East Prussia affords spacious and admirable pasturage, and it possesses the principal Government stud of Trakehnen, where most of the horses of the German army are bred. Cattle are also raised extensively in the rich meadows of the river valleys. The forest land of the south is unsettled and still harbors a great many wild animals, and this region is in a primitive state. The advancing Russians have carefully avoided this rough country and have chosen the lowlands of the north as their battle ground.

THE REPORT ON FISHERIES

The report of the Commissioner of Fisheries for British Columbia, Mr. W. J. Bowser, has been issued. A resume of its contents is given in our news columns, and we shall speak here only in general terms of this evidence of admirable work done by an exceedingly useful department. The report is full of interesting information, and, while not intended for that purpose, will serve to add a great deal to the available knowledge of the character of the Province. It deals chiefly with salmon, but there is a valuable section dealing with shell fish, one on sea lions and a short but comprehensive description of the halibut grounds. The illustrations and the maps are highly educational.

We take this opportunity of congratulating all concerned in the preparation of this blue book. The data have been collected with great care, have been admirably classified and lucidly presented. It is a book that ought to be read and preserved.

The necessity for snow sheds along the line of the Canadian Northern Pacific is not a matter of prejudice or politics, but one of fact. We are unable to understand why any newspaper, even though it may be opposed to the present Provincial administration, should wish to deny that the location of this railway is through a part of the country where the conformation of the surface is such that there is no danger of snowslides that will block the track. We may remind our captious evening contemporary that Sir Richard McBride is not responsible for the geological structure of this Province, and hence it ought not to hesitate about admitting geological or geographical facts relating thereto.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

In Appreciation

Sir,—In one of your editorials in this morning's Colonist you intimate that "we are glad to get questions of this nature, for we want Colonist readers at all times to think of this paper as theirs in that intimate way which warrants them in asking all reasonable questions of a public character, and we promise to answer them as best we can." Now, I am not at this time going to avail myself of that considerate invitation, but just to say "thank you," not for "what we are about to receive" so much as what we have received, particularly in connection with the war news and information relative to people, places and things associated therewith. Morning after morning as I have benefited from the carefully prepared particulars of matters bearing on the dispatches appearing in the day's issue of The Colonist, information that I am always too busy to look up for myself, even had I the requisite books of reference at hand, and followed much more intelligently than I otherwise would have done the war events chronicled in your news columns, I have thought "thank you, Mr. Editor, for that assistance." Now I am writing my thanks, and please print them. Doubtless I am only one of many similarly appreciative,

E. JACOBS.

Victoria, September 18.

Saanich By-Laws

Sir,—As ratepayers in Saanich we are vitally interested in the welfare of the municipality and wish to call the attention of our fellow ratepayers to the by-laws which are coming before the people on Saturday of this week, and to the importance of each doing his or her part by voting favorably on these by-laws, to the end that the conditions existing at the present time in our municipality may be corrected.

These by-laws are brought forward by the administration after thorough deliberation, and are designed to correct long-felt wants of those living, or owning property, in Saanich.

The Water By-Law is the remedy for a general demand throughout the thickly settled parts of the municipality and of small holders, for better water service for the home and for fire protection. The ratepayers should see to it that they register their vote for this by-law, thereby removing the necessity for further continual inconvenience and alarm against fire, so long needed.

The Paving By-Law provides, by the small levy of less than two and one-half mills, for the changing of the main arteries through the municipality, from their present unsatisfactory condition, entailing heavy annual maintenance expense, to well-built permanent hard surface roads, guaranteed by the contractors under bond for a long period of years.

It has been shown by figures prepared by the municipality that the cost of the maintenance of the old roads, even in their present unsatisfactory condition, which they have been in for the past few years, will result in a greater levy for road maintenance than would result from the construction of the up-to-date permanent roads provided by the by-law. The Government is contributing $100,000 towards the building of these roads, provided the roads are properly constructed with permanent paving, but our understanding is they will give nothing for the maintenance of the old roads. If this is true and the Paving By-Law fails to pass, the municipality loses this Government assistance of $100,000, as well as upwards of $50,000 which it will cost us to reimburse the contractors for failure on the part of the municipality to provide funds to pay for work done under contract, entered into and signed by the proper officials under the seal of Saanich, and the municipality will receive no benefits for this expenditure. This would seem to us to be a loss of $150,000 to the ratepayers, which has already been explained by the Reeve and Councillors at their several ward meetings. As we see it, the ratepayers are morally bound to pass the Paving By-Law, otherwise the contract already entered into by our officials is repudiated at great damage to the municipality, the payment of which still leaves the roads in their present condition.

This small mill tax means to each ratepayer who owns a lot with an assessed value of $500 only $1.25 per year for fifteen years. This tax is so small that, considering the increase in the value of the property, as well as the increased comfort gained by the improved roads, it is practically negligible. That the money from the Government, as well as a large part of all money paid out for these roads will be spent right here in the municipality, giving employment to the unemployed at a time when it is most needed, are important advantages not to be overlooked.

The School By-Law should have our hearty support. It goes without saying that the education of our children must be looked after, else we cannot expect the respect of the community.

G. E. DAVIDSON,
G. W. A. MILLER.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 16, 1914.

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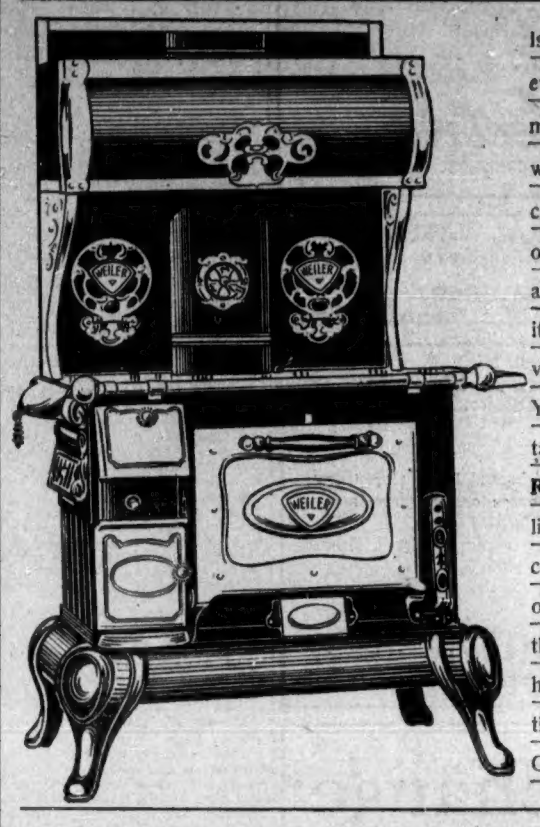

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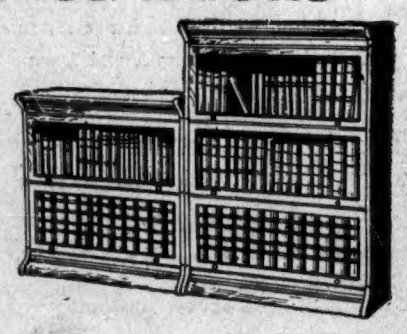

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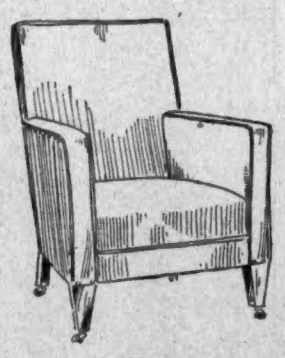

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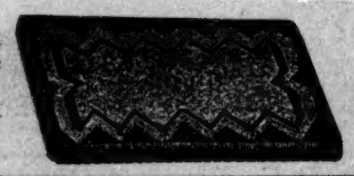

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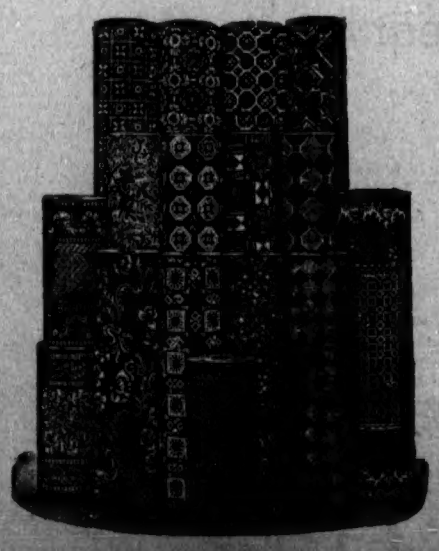

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COLLECTION OF FUNDS WILL BEGIN SHORTLY

Newly-Formed Patriotic Aid Society Is Making Energetic Preparations for Big Campaign.

At a meeting of the newly-formed Victoria Patriotic Aid Society held last night in the office of Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt, the following members of the society were present: Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt, president, in the chair; Mr. C. A. Holland, vice-president; Mr. Robt. H. Swinerton, honorary secretary-treasurer; His Worship the Mayor; Mr. H. B. Thomson, M. P. P.; Mr. E. V. Bodwell, K. C.; Mr. J. J. Shallcross, Mr. D. R. Ker and Mr. Arthur Coles.

Mr. Bodwell read the draft of the by-laws of the society. These were considered and adopted.

An executive committee of five was appointed, consisting of Mr. A. C. Flumerfelt, president; D. R. Ker, Mr. Robt. H. Swinerton, honorary secretary-treasurer, E. V. Bodwell, K. C., and H. B. Thomson, M. P. P. The committee was empowered to carry out the general executive work of the society under the direction of the trustees.

Mr. C. A. Holland, His Worship the Mayor and Ensign James Merritt were appointed a committee to consider and report on the method and plans for the distribution of relief.

The official seal of the society was decided upon.

Mr. Shallcross and Mr. Coles were appointed as a committee to interview the various theatres and to organize concerts, patriotic entertainments and meetings, with power to add to their number.

Mr. Arthur Coles was appointed a committee, with power to increase its numbers, to deal with the advertising and publicity campaign in connection with raising the patriotic fund.

Co-Operation of Clergy

It was resolved that the clergymen of the city should be asked to co-operate and that the ministerial association should be asked to appoint its own officers as a committee to aid in the collection of funds, and that it should be suggested to them that Sunday, the 27th inst., should be made a Patriotic Sunday, with special reference in the church services to the patriotic fund, and that on the Monday following the active work of collection should commence. Also that similar requests should be sent to the Roman Catholic Bishop and the Jewish Rabbi.

It was further resolved that the executive committee as a whole should be the committee in charge of the collection campaign, and that the chairmen of the various committees be asked to notify the members of their respective committees of a meeting to be held at 8 o'clock on Wednesday evening in the City Hall for a general discussion of the best plans for collecting.

Another resolution passed was to the effect that a request should be sent to the Reeves of Oak Bay, Saanich and Esquimalt to co-operate with the executive of the society, and that they be asked to name a time and place for meeting the executive for that object. It was further resolved that an invitation be sent to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, to Sir Richard McBride and to Mr. F. S. Barnard to attend all meetings of the society.

It was decided that the Canadian Bank of Commerce be appointed bankers to the society, and also that each of the committees should have collecting books, each of which should be signed by the president and the secretary, and sealed with the seal of the society.

A sub-committee was appointed for the civil engineers consisting of F. C. Gamble, R. W. McIntyre, Dennis R. Harris, D. O. Lewis and R. A. Bainbridge.

The general committee asks that if by any oversight any organization or representative body of citizens has been overlooked in appointing the various sub-committees, the matter should be brought to their notice, and they also invite suggestions from the public; it is the people's fund, and they wish everyone to realize this and treat it as such.

Registered Corporation

The trustees of the fund have registered under the laws of the Province as the Victoria Patriotic Aid Society, which gives the organization a thoroughly legal position, the trustees named in the declaration as filed with the registrar being: A. C. Flumerfelt, C. A. Holland, Robt. H. Swinerton, Mayor Alexander Stewart, D. R. Ker, J. J. Shallcross, James Merritt, Henry B. Thomson, M. P. P., Arthur Coles and E. V. Bodwell, K. C.

The secretary reports that the fund is steadily growing and is being liberally supported by all classes of citizens. Among others, the employees of the Victoria-Phoenix Brewing Co. have forwarded the sum of $120, with the intimation that they guarantee a similar sum monthly. Needless to say a contribution of such a nature is very greatly appreciated, as is no less such a contribution as is sent by an anonymous donor, who forwarded a $1 bill with merely the words "one month" enclosed, and nothing which could make the disclosure of his identity possible.

Below is given in full the declaration filed with the registrar in connection with the incorporation of the society:

The articles of incorporation, which were drawn up by Mr. E. V. Bodwell, K. C., are as follows:

We, A. C. Flumerfelt, C. A. Holland, Robert H. Swinerton, Alexander Stewart, D. R. Ker, H. B. Thomson, James Merritt, J. J. Shallcross, Arthur Coles, and E. V. Bodwell, all of the City of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, do solemnly declare as follows:

1. That we are desirous of being incorporated as a society under the provisions of the Charitable Associations Act under the name of "The Victoria Patriotic Aid Society."

2. The purposes for which the said society shall be incorporated are as follows:

(a) To operate in conjunction with the Canadian Patriotic Fund and other organizations having similar objects;

(b) To solicit subscriptions and to collect moneys, and to apply such portion of the moneys so collected as the society deems advisable, or as they are directed by the subscribers thereof to pay, to the Canadian Patriotic Fund, as in the meanwhile and before such appropriation, to distribute the whole or any part of the moneys so collected for the assistance in case of need of the wives, children and dependent relatives of officers and men, who, during the present war, may be on active service with the naval and military forces of the British Empire and Great Britain's allies;

(c) To solicit subscriptions for, collect, hold and invest moneys for the other purposes of the society;

(d) To administer, manage and distribute the funds of the society which are not appropriated by the society or by such subscribers to the Canadian Patriotic Fund for the benefit of those persons who do not come within the scheme of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, but who may require aid. The said distribution to be limited to the relief of families whose bread-winner is in the opinion of the trustees of the society out of employment or in need of assistance through the effects of the war, such relief to include an allowance to such bread-winner in case he is incapacitated for bodily labor during the period of the war;

(e) To invest or deposit any moneys of the society which are not immediately required for distribution in such securities, or in such chartered bank as from time to time the trustees of the society may determine;

(f) To hold any moneys which may be collected as aforesaid, and which shall not be required for the assistance of the class of persons referred to in sub-paragraph (d) of paragraph 2 of this declaration, in trust for the Canadian Patriotic Fund or such charitable purpose as the trustees of the society may hereafter determine.

(g) To appoint such officers and agents for the carrying out of the objects of the society as the trustees may deem advisable;

3. From time to time to make, alter, rescind or confirm by-laws or rules for regulating the meetings of the trustees, and for the necessary government of and for conducting the business of the society;

4. The names of the persons to be first trustees of the said society are as follows: A. C. Flumerfelt, Victoria, B. C.; C. A. Holland, Victoria, B. C.; Robert H. Swinerton, Victoria, B. C.; Alexander Stewart, Victoria, B. C.; D. R. Ker, Victoria, B. C.; H. B. Thomson, Victoria, B. C.; James Merritt, Victoria, B. C.; J. J. Shallcross, Victoria, B. C.; Arthur Coles, Victoria, B. C.; E. V. Bodwell, Victoria, B. C.

5. In case any one or more of the said trustees shall at any time hereafter die, resign, refuse to act, or become incapable of holding office, the successor of such trustee so dying, resigning, refusing or becoming incapable of acting, shall be appointed by a majority of the remaining trustees, and if at any time there should be no remaining trustee or trustees in office and capable of making the said appointment, then new trustees for the society shall be appointed and shall be the persons named for that position by the then Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of British Columbia;

And we make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the "Canada Evidence Act."

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Declared before me at the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 17th day of September, A. D. 1914, by

A. C. Flumerfelt, C. A. Holland, R. H. Swinerton, Alex. Stewart, D. R. Ker, H. B. Thomson, Jas. Merritt, J. J. Shallcross, Arthur Coles, and E. V. Bodwell.

Arthur E. Haynes, a notary public in and for British Columbia.

INSURANCE EXPERTS' REPORT BEFORE CITY

No General Flat Reduction, but Each Mercantile Risk Will Be Dealt With—Re-Rating Work in Progress.

That there will be no general reduction in fire insurance rates in the mercantile section, that is to say, no flat reduction, but that each risk will be considered on its merits with respect to construction, exposure, etc., was the information conveyed to the city yesterday. Representatives of the local board of underwriters, at a meeting held at the city hall, attended by Mr. R. W. Douglas, president of the Board of the Vancouver Island Fire Underwriters' Association, Mr. John A. Greenhill, vice-president, and Mr. Noble, secretary, discussed the matter with Mayor Stewart, Alderman McNeill, and Water Commissioner Rust. The report recently prepared by experts engaged by the Association, has been published, and copies were submitted to the city's representatives.

The city some months ago asked for a 50 per cent reduction in rates on mercantile risks, but it was stated by the insurance representatives yesterday that no such straight reduction could be expected. Two inspectors are now at work on this work of re-rating the mercantile area. It may happen that some risks will not be given a reduction at all, and the possibility of an increase in some cases was not disputed.

The report compiled by Mr. C. A. Maury, general inspector for the underwriters, and Mr. M. E. Cheney, electrical inspector, covering the whole question of fire protection, contains many suggestions of what, in the opinion of those gentlemen, should be done by the city to improve the fire protection system, electrical installations, climatic conditions, fire record, building by-laws, water distribution system, etc.

Favorable and Unfavorable

In summarizing the favorable and unfavorable features, the report sets forth the specially favorable features, as follows:

"(1) Auxiliary high pressure salt water system in mercantile district. (2) Hydrant spacings on the combined fresh and salt water systems in that district. (3) Fire department discipline; the strength of that department as regards chemical engine service, and the very considerable amount of auto propelled apparatus. (4) Low average height of buildings; small amount of frame construction; the many independent fire walls to roof in mercantile district. (5) A great many blocks in residential districts are characterized by very considerable clear spaces. (6) Character of city by-laws with reference to fire hazard (excepting regarding dynamite), and general observance of such laws."

The especially unfavorable features are given as follows: "(1) Size of water mains (4-inch) in very much of residential districts; in many instances hydrant spacings are excessively wide in residential districts. (2) Fire department is especially weak as respects engine service. (3) Far too few fire alarm boxes, considering city as a whole. (5) Prevalence of unprotected openings in exterior walls of buildings in mercantile district; large number of buildings in mercantile district are without proper parapet walls, or no parapet walls whatever; the considerable number of blocks in that district that have no alley, or insufficient alley. (6) Conflagration hazard, as detailed. (7) Objectionable quantities of dynamite handled in more important parts of city."

In dealing with the Sooke Lake system, the report ventures the opinion that it may be eighteen months or more before it is established, though the contractors expect to have it in service by July 1915.

Reduced Engine Capacity

Adverse comment on the capacity of the fire engines is made and the opinion is expressed that the department is distinctly weak in engine service and would still be weak if the present engines were of their full rated capacity, the capacity being actually 2,640 United States gallons, or but 78 per cent of the rating. The capacity should be not less than 4,500 gallons per minute. The recommendation is made that a motor pump and hose wagon of 1,000 gallons per minute, and also a similar combination engine and hose wagon of not less than 750 gallons per minute be secured.

On the point of water protection, the estimate of the fresh and salt water systems combined is that in the mercantile section it is up to the standard, and in the principal manufacturing district it is up to the standard as to capacity of flow and pressure in mains, but not in the extent of hydrant distribution. On the point of a fire boat, the report states that, while this is desirable, the values along the waterfront are not such as to require such a boat. The suggestion is made that the city garbage tug be provided with a powerful fire pump and suitable apparatus so as to render a service not now available.

On the point of electrical hazard, the report states: "There is much to adversely criticize with reference to this hazard. Among the more notable objections is the presence, to a considerable extent, in certain districts, but not in the mercantile district, of pole lines carrying enormous voltages. The poles of these high tension lines are used for the wires of the lighting system, which feed directly into buildings; hence the risk, in case the different systems become crossed on pole lines of starting simultaneous fires. The interior wiring in the older buildings of the mercantile district is usually concealed knob and tube, open cleat or wooden moulding work, and numerous defects exist. In that district comparatively few buildings are wired in conduit or in a standard manner; however, in buildings recently erected in that district, wiring is placed in conduit, and the conditions are very fair. Water superintendent advises that only in an isolated case has electrolysis been experienced, but no tests have been made for such, but should be."

Regulating Food Prices

LONDON, Sept. 18.—A proclamation was issued tonight authorizing the Board of Trade to take possession of any articles of commerce which are being unreasonably held from the market, paying the owners fair prices for them.

British Steamers Reported Sunk

TOKIO, Sept. 18.—It is reported here that the German cruiser Emden has sunk five British steamers off the coast of India. The passengers of the vessels are said to have been saved.

Bubonic Plague in Cuba

HAVANA, Sept. 18.—Bubonic plague, of which Cuba was thought to have been cleared, has reappeared at El Caney, near Santiago, where one case has been diagnosed. Sanitary officers have taken all precautions to prevent the spread of the contagion.

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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Asks for Damages—An action brought by Mr. J. H. Griffiths against the city for damages as a result of a fall he sustained on Yates Street has been set for October 1. He alleges that he was permanently injured.

Hearing Next Tuesday—Mrs. Bentley, who was charged in the Police Court yesterday morning with being in possession of a bicycle, knowing it to be stolen, asked for a remand in order to obtain certain witnesses. The request was granted, next Tuesday being set as the day for the hearing.

Engineers Will Visit Plant—Today at 1:30 o'clock a party of members of the Victoria branch of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers will make a visit to Cooper's Cove on the invitation of Water Commissioner Rust and inspect the pipe-making plant of the Pacific Lock Joint Pipe Company and visit the work on the water works pipe line.

The Fall Assizes—Arrangements are being made for the Fall assizes, which open here on October 5. Mr. H. W. R. Moore has been appointed Crown prosecutor. There is an exceptionally light docket, and it is not expected that the court will last more than two or three days. Mr. W. H. Bullock-Webster has been named as the prosecutor at Nanaimo, where several cases arising out of the coal miners' strike will be tried.

Chinaman Accused—Accused of appropriating to his own use $150, said to have been given him by Don Yuen to pay to the latter's wife, Don Tai, in Sunguay, China, Gee Wee Lin appeared before the police magistrate yesterday. Mr. R. C. Lowe represented Don Yuen. The defendant asserted that he had never received the money and was granted a remand to Monday in order to secure legal advice.

Companies Incorporated—The current issue of The B. C. Gazette contains notice that certificates of incorporation have been issued to the following companies: The B. C. Sheet Metal Works, Limited, with headquarters at Vancouver, and capitalized at $10,000; Edinburgh & Glasgow Investment Company, Vancouver, $10,000; United Mortgage Company, Vancouver, $100,000. The Sherwin Williams Company and the Wellington-Comox Agency, are licensed as extra-Provincial companies.

Serious Charge—Charged with entering the Prince George Hotel, where he has been employed, with intent to commit burglary, William Crane was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday. It was believed, Chief Langley explained, that he had stolen certain articles from the hotel's storeroom, as the detectives had found them in his room. He asked for a remand till today, which was granted, Mr. J. Percival Walls, who is acting for the accused, obtained bail at $1,000 in two sureties.

Dog Not Vicious—Mr. William Christie was before the magistrate yesterday charged with keeping a vicious dog. He had the animal with him. He is a splendid specimen of the English bulldog and certainly while in court gave no evidence of viciousness. Miss Walker, the chief witness, told of an experience she had had, the result of which was that her fox terrier had been badly hurt. The court held that Mr. Christie had no knowledge of the dog being ferocious and, in dismissing him, advised that the bulldog either be kept tied or muzzled. Mr. Christie offered to recoup Miss Walker for any expenses she had been put to in the matter.

Bail Is Allowed—Wong, a Chinaman accused of stealing the door-plate from Dr. Hart's office, came before Judge Lampman yesterday. He was represented by Mr. R. C. Lowe, who secured bail at $500 personal surety and two bonds each of $250. Mr. W. H. Bullock-Webster is acting for the Crown.

Trial on Thursday—Gurdit Singh and Dralif Singh, the two East Indians committed for trial on the charge of being in possession of explosives for unlawful purposes, were taken before Judge Lampman, of the County Court, yesterday, to elect. They decided to be tried without a jury, and the date fixed for the trial was Thursday, September 24.

Optimistic as to Future—Mr. L. T. Shatford, one of the most prominent financial men of the Province, with headquarters at Vancouver, and Member for Similkameen in the Legislature, spent yesterday in the city, a guest of the Empress Hotel. Mr. Shatford is of the opinion that Canada in general, and British Columbia in particular, may look forward with the greatest confidence to an era of unprecedented activity on the conclusion of the war. In his judgment the war cannot be of long duration, and he says he would not be surprised if peace were agreed upon before the end of the year. Germany will, in his view, be speedily brought to her knees and be glad to make peace on almost any terms, rather than suffer complete extinction as a nation.

Consider Jail Bids—After consideration of the bids put in for the erection of the new police headquarters' building the jail, the committee of the City Council appointed to report upon the tenders will have its report ready for Monday night's meeting of the Council. The committee met yesterday and decided that it would recommend that the whole structure should be erected at once. Bids were called on two plans, one for a structure making for provision for all departments with the exception of the detective quarters, another including this latter department. The bids were lower than expected and provision for the plain clothes department will bring the cost to approximately $78,000. There is now available $72,500. The committee will recommend that the complete structure be erected, the balance of the money required to be provided out of general revenue.

Visit Orchard Districts—Information has reached the office of the Provincial Secretary to the effect that Prof. L. S. Klinck, the newly-appointed head of the Agricultural Branch of the University of British Columbia, will make an extended tour of the orchard districts in company with Fruit Inspector Thomas Cunningham, and Prof. Wesbrook. Among other objects of interest unconnected with agriculture which the visitors will inspect, with a view to attention later on, will be the coal fields and the unlimited deposits of clay for making white bricks at Fernie and the marble deposits at Kootenay Lake. Kootenay Lake marble has the reputation of improving with age. The fruit industry, already on a splendid footing, has almost unlimited possibilities of development, and the visit of the university head and of so distinguished an agricultural scientist as Prof. Klinck, has a significance which will be greatly appreciated by the agriculturalists and horticulturists of the Province.

Receive Full Pay—The directors of the Quebec Bank have decided to pay full salaries to the members of the staff who have enlisted for active service with their regiments during the war.

Yesterday's Storm—Storm signals were displayed from the meteorological stations of Victoria, Nanaimo and Vancouver early yesterday. The wind began to rise early in the afternoon. Between 5 and 6 o'clock it had reached a velocity of thirty-one miles an hour and from 6 to 7 its strength was at the rate of forty-one miles. The greatest velocity was between 5:45 and 6 o'clock, when it reached forty-eight miles an hour. The rainfall in Victoria totaled .10 inch, while in Vancouver, over the same period, it was .36. The southeast gale was felt particularly along the Washington and British Columbia coasts, its velocity being between fifty and eighty-five miles an hour. Its influence on the temperature of the Provincial Interior was peculiar. In Quesnelle, for instance, the thermometer registered 86. The same unusual condition for this season existed all through Eastern Canada. In Winnipeg the mercury stood at 78, in Toronto at 83, in London, Ont., at 84, and at Valcartier, where the Canadian overseas contingent is camped, at 74. By way of comparison, it is stated that at Dawson the first cold spell of the Fall was experienced, it being 12 degrees above zero.

To Visit Duncan—If the weather should be favorable today, Sir Richard McBride will pay a flying visit to Duncan to attend the annual Cowichan Fall Fair. The Premier will travel by motor car, returning to the city in the afternoon.

FINDING EMPLOYMENT

Local Council of Women Succeed in Aiding Women to Get Suitable Work

Notwithstanding the fact that the employment depot opened by the Local Council of Women at 637 Fort Street has only been in existence five days, and that the project of a tea shop had been still more recently mooted, the ladies in charge, finding themselves supplied with the necessary utensils, yesterday decided to begin operations at once instead of waiting till Monday, as had previously been intended.

That they were able to start so soon was due entirely to the gifts of many kind friends, who have presented the necessary china and furniture. Many of the gifts have already been acknowledged, but others received yesterday, for which the committee offer grateful thanks, are: A handsome kettle from an anonymous doner, a supply of tables, also sent anonymously, a fine oil stove loaned by Mrs. Fisher, and a number of chairs loaned by Mrs. G. H. Barnard.

With flower-decked tables, pretty china and dainty viands, the project made a successful, though modest, beginning, and it is expected that this afternoon the tea rooms will be even better equipped for custom. Some artistic table and screen covers have been lent for the decoration of the store, and a handsome red embroidered curtain of Indian manufacture adorns one wall.

Perhaps the most satisfactory report of the day relates to the employment bureau, which, in addition to registering several new applicants for work, had the intense gratification of placing a number of workers in touch with suitable employment.

I. O. D. E. SEND CLOTHING

Local Ladies Send Off Consignment of Comforts for Volunteers for Active Service

Two large parcels, one consisting of socks and mittens and the other of cummerbunds, were sent off from the I. O. D. E. yesterday to Major Rose at Valcartier for the Victoria contingent.

A considerable quantity of work has already been completed, and still more is in process of manufacture, a number of people calling at the Temple rooms yesterday for materials to make bed jackets for the wounded, socks, etc. A gift of hand-knitted socks and mittens was received from Mrs. Cope, Chester Street, and a parcel of mittens from Mrs. Lea.

A few bunches of lovely chrysanthemums still remain for week-end shoppers, as well as a supply of fragrant sweet peas, the gift of Miss White. Many of these were sold yesterday as well as a number of the emblematic "flags of the allies." A further stock of light literature for the troops was received, which will be doubly welcome in camp during the rainy weather. The Gonzales Chapter was on duty at the office all day.

ANNUAL RE-UNION

Congregation of Emmanuel Baptist Church Outlines Plan for Winter's Work

A pleasant social evening was spent on Thursday in the schoolroom of the Emmanuel Baptist Church on the occasion of the congregation's annual reunion after the Summer vacation.

The pastor of the church, the Rev. William Stevenson, presided over the gathering and spoke eloquently and forcibly of the need for action on the part of the church at this time of upheaval and disaster. Social and charitable projects for the coming season were discussed in connection with the European crisis and the far-reaching effects, among those who made valuable contributions to the discussion being Mesdames Frank Andrews and Marchant, Messrs. Marchant, Wescott and Pollard.

Some delightful instrumental music was provided by Mr. F. Parfitt, and refreshments were served during the pleasant hour which followed the more serious part of the proceedings.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p.m., Sept. 18, 1914:

SYNOPSIS

Since yesterday an ocean storm area has spread inland over this Province and has caused southerly gales on the Straits and Sound, and rain has extended to Kootenay. The weather is fair and abnormally warm in the Prairie Provinces, while at Dawson the temperature has fallen to 12 above zero.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B. C.	46	56
Vancouver	52	56
Penticton	50	59
Kamloops	44	54
Nelson	42	54
Barkerville	34	46
Prince Rupert	44	62
Atlin	32	38
Dawson, Y. T.	12	42
Calgary, Alta.	40	76
Winnipeg, Man.	52	78
Portland, Ore.	50	62
San Francisco, Cal.	52	66
Port Arthur	44	62
London	50	84
Toronto	50	83
Ottawa	56	76
Montreal	60	74
St. John	58	72
Halifax	[illegible]	74

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And further take notice that any such persons who are subjects of the Countries aforesaid who do not comply with the above requirements forthwith will be proceeded against.

Dated at Esquimalt, B. C., this 18th day of September, A. D. 1914.

J. R. SAUNDERS,
Reeve of the Corporation of the Township of Esquimalt, B. C.

NOTICE

To All Subjects of Germany and Austria-Hungary

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons who are subjects of Germany and Austria-Hungary, who reside or enter the City of Victoria, are required forthwith to present themselves to the Chief of Police of the City of Victoria at the Detective Office, situate at No. 630 Cormorant Street, Victoria, B. C., to there leave their names, addresses and descriptions and make such report and give such other information and follow such directions as shall be required or directed by the Chief of Police.

And further take notice that any such persons who are subjects of the Countries aforesaid who do not comply with the above requirements forthwith, will be proceeded against.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 18th day of September, 1914.

A. STEWART,
Mayor of the City of Victoria, B. C.

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To All Subjects of Germany and Austria-Hungary

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons who are subjects of Germany and Austria-Hungary, who reside in or enter the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay are required forthwith to present themselves to the Chief of Police of the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay at the Police Station in the Municipal Hall, situate at the corner of Oak Bay Avenue and Hampshire Road North, in the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay, B. C., to there leave their names, addresses and descriptions and make such report and give such other information and follow such directions as shall be required and directed by the Chief of Police.

And further take notice that any such persons who are subjects of the Countries aforesaid who do not comply with the above requirements forthwith will be proceeded against.

Dated at Oak Bay, B. C., this 15th day of September, A. D. 1914.

W. E. OLIVER,
Reeve of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay, B. C.

NOTICE

To All Subjects of Germany and Austria-Hungary

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons who are subjects of Germany and Austria-Hungary, who reside in or enter the Municipality of Saanich, are required forthwith to present themselves to the Acting Chief of Police of the Corporation of the District of Saanich at the Police Office, situate at Royal Oak, Saanich, B. C., to there leave their names, addresses and descriptions and make such report and give such other information and follow such directions as shall be required or directed by the Acting Chief of Police.

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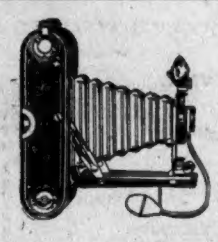

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PATRONAGE CERTAIN FOR PUBLIC MARKET

Yesterday's Experiment Indicates That It Rests With Growers to Meet Demand for District's Products.

Despite weather conditions which, during the morning, could hardly have been more unfavorable from the standpoint of public patronage, yesterday's experiment of a public market, as organized under the auspices of the joint committees of the City Council and Victoria and Island Development Association, may be described as a distinct success. Not, perhaps, so far as actual business done, but as giving promise of a weekly institution which will fill a long felt want.

That the consumers of Victoria are ready to give unstinted patronage to a market was demonstrated in no uncertain manner. All morning and in the early hours of the afternoon the housewives of the city thronged the space set aside for the display of products, but the supply was hopelessly inadequate though what was offered for sale was of excellent quality and was rapidly sold. In fact it was the grower who failed, many being apparently under the impression that the purchasing public would prove apathetic, as was the case when a public market was attempted here some years ago. Weather conditions, too, were anything but satisfactory, and, owing to upcountry fairs, many growers who would otherwise have attended, remained away. But those producers who did not attend had nothing but praise for the manner in which the public showed its practical interest in the market. This encouragement which resulted in the produce of the great majority of the growers being cleared out in a surprisingly short time, will undoubtedly mean a large attendance at next Friday's market. Everyone of the growers who displayed products for sale yesterday expressed his determination to be on hand next week with a much larger assortment of produce. They admitted that they came in yesterday imbued with more or less doubt as to the support they would receive from the public. They admitted that if anyone showed a lack of enthusiasm for the idea it was the growers themselves. But with the assurances they yesterday received of the wholehearted public support their doubts have been dispelled.

It was inevitable that the first day's market should show in what respect improvement might be made and for next Friday the shortcomings of yesterday will be remedied. It is estimated that between 3,000 and 4,000 visited the market, the majority of them prospective buyers. The women of the city turned out in large numbers, practically everyone of them ready to purchase. Capacious handbags, in which to carry away purchases, indicated that the doubt as to the willingness of the housewives to attend a market and carry home their purchases has been ill-founded. During the morning a string of motor cars was drawn up on the streets surrounding the market, the fair occupants being keen upon their shopping excursion. The stall occupants could easily have disposed of many times the quantity of produce they displayed for sale.

The products offered for sale were, for the most part, live poultry, vegetables and apples, while there was a great scarcity of dairy products, and other fruits. The experience of yesterday will be valuable to the growers in that it will show the articles for which there is the greatest demand, and next week this shortage will be remedied. The fact that the Sooke fair kept growers of the Sooke and Metchosin districts away explains the absence of products from that fertile section, but next week they will be represented and the fine exhibits displayed at that fair will be on sale. The same thing may be said respecting the Cowichan section from which there were no representatives.

For next week all the stalls have been spoken for, and the committee, at a meeting yesterday afternoon, decided to enlarge the accommodation by erecting a marquee in the centre of the space, thus giving the public better accommodation and providing for more stalls. Salt Spring Island growers have spoken for four stalls; the Cobble Hill and Royal Oak growers want accommodation, and Duncan producers are asking for space, while Gordon Head growers, who chiefly patronized the market yesterday, will be again in attendance and in increased numbers.

Many growers stated that they had not sufficient notice and information as to the scope of the market, but after visiting the market and ascertaining its opportunities, they, one and all, promised to give the idea their hearty support. Next week there will be full lines of dairy produce, dressed meats and fruits, such as plums, pears, etc. The committee has decided to open the market at 8 a.m., instead of 7 a.m. as was the case yesterday, and close an hour earlier, at 5 p.m. Better protection against adverse climatic conditions for booth holders will also be provided. Growers should remember that their produce must be on hand at the various stations on the B. C. Electric Company's Saanich line in plenty of time for the early train, as the early demand at the market is the most important.

The experience of yesterday has led the committee in charge of the market to believe that it has been demonstrated, beyond a doubt, that the consumers of the city are ready to patronize the products of the white grower, while the opportunity to the latter of securing cash for his produce is a most important feature.

The committee desires to establish the rule that all produce offered must be grown in the district tributary to the city, by white growers.

Prices received yesterday were apparently satisfactory to the growers. Spring chickens sold at from 30 to 33 cents per pound; ducklings, 28 to 30 cents; fowls, 23 to 25 cents; tomatoes, 12 pounds for 25 cents; apples, 50c to $1.25 per box; squash, 2½ cents per pound; beets and carrots 1 cent per pound. The auction sale of live poultry was well patronized and a large number of birds were sold.

Oak Bay W. C. T. U.—The regular monthly meeting of the Oak Bay branch of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Nicholas, Byron Street, Tuesday, September 22, 1914. A special invitation to the members and a hearty welcome to strangers that wish to attend is extended by the president.

EXAMINATION TIME TABLE

McGill University Matriculation Papers to Be Written at New High School

The following is the time table for the McGill University Matriculation Examination to be held in the new Victoria High School, commencing Tuesday, September 22:

Tuesday, September 22—Morning, 9-11, English literature; 11-12:30, Botany; Chemistry. Afternoon, 2:30-4:30, English composition.

Wednesday, September 23—Morning, 9-11, Latin authors; 11-12:30, Trigonometry. Afternoon, 2:30-4:30, Latin composition and sight.

Thursday, Sept. 24—Morning, 9-11, Algebra, Part I.; 11-1, French grammar; German grammar. Afternoon, 2:30-4:30, French translation; German translation.

Friday, September 25—Morning, 9-11, Geometry, Part I.; 11-12:30, Physics; Physiography. Afternoon, 2:30-4:30, History.

Saturday, September 26—Morning, 9-11, Algebra, Part II.; Greek authors. Afternoon, 2:30-4:30, Geometry, Part II.; Greek composition and sight.

Monday, September 28—Morning, 9, Geometrical drawing. Afternoon, 2:30, Freehand drawing.

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Hon. W. J. Bowser Explains Some Interesting Details in Connection With Shipment to the Motherland.

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As previously announced in The Colonist, each tin, in addition to the ordinary label, will bear a special label, designed by Mr. D. N. McIntyre, deputy commissioner of fisheries, acting under instructions from his chief, the Hon. W. J. Bowser. The latter, yesterday, explained what the label would bear, and added some interesting information about the shipment.

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Will Introduce Pink Salmon

Explanatory of the choice of pink salmon, rather than the sockeye variety, which is so popular in this Province, Mr. Bowser said that two considerations influenced the Government in making the decision—first, that it was deemed desirable to take advantage of this opportunity to introduce pink salmon to the British market; and, second, that more salmon could be purchased for the money available for the purposes of the gift, which, it may be added, is not for the troops in the field, but to add to the food supplies of those in distress in the Motherland. Of the relative food values of the two varieties—sockeyes and pinks—there is no dispute, many, indeed, preferring the pinks to the sockeyes. Then, again, there is always a good market for the sockeye pack, larger, indeed, than can always be supplied, while the pack of pinks is capable of much greater expansion than is the case at present.

Mr. Bowser announced, also, that the Government had made arrangements with the C. P. R. to have the entire shipment handled by special train as far as Montreal. The train will consist of thirty cars, and it is intended that a large placard shall be stretched on either side of the train of cars bearing the legend: "British Columbia's Gift to the Motherland." As the train proceeds across the continent those who witness its transit will thus be given a striking ocular demonstration of the determination of the people of this Province, in common with the rest of Canada, to place all its resources at the disposal of the Imperial Government in the great war which imperils the fortunes of the Empire.

Ladies' Aid Meeting—The Ladies' Aid of the First Baptist Church will meet in the church, Yates Street, on Monday, Sept. 21, at 3 o'clock. A full attendance is urgently requested, as business of importance is to be transacted.

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LOCAL DEMAND FOR BOOKS ON GERMANY

Certain Volumes Continually Asked For at the Victoria Library as Result of War—Some of Those Available.

Public interest in the war, and especially in the German Emperor, still expresses itself in a steady demand for books on the subject. Word comes from the United States libraries that there also, "William II." and "War and Peace" claim the public attention. Price Collier's "Germany and the Germans," Herbert Ferris' "Germany and the German Emperor," are continually being asked for and reserved. Norman Angell's "Great Illusion," H. A. Fried's "German Emperor and the Peace of the World" and F. E. Smith's "International Law" are also in demand.

The special collection of books prepared for the greater convenience of local readers is still being maintained in the public library. The reading list tells of other material which may be in circulation at any time.

A pamphlet issued by the English Government, giving the correspondence from the British Ambassadors previous to and since the declaration of war is available in the reference room.

Some Books Available

The appended list of books published by the War Office may also be consulted there and borrowed by special arrangement:

England, Government: Colonial Office Report for 1911-'12. England, Government: Civil Service Commission, Military entrance examinations. England, Government: War Office, Cyclist Training; Dress Regulations for the Army; Engineer Training; Handbook for the Range-Finding Infantry; Instructions as to Fixed Electrical Communications; Instructions for Using the No. 2 Director; Instruction in Bayonet Fighting; Lists of Military and other terms; Manual of Elementary Military Hygiene; Manual of Map Reading and Field Sketching; Manual of Military Law; Musketry Regulations; Notes on Electricity; Regulations for the Equipment of the Army; Regulations for Mobilization; Regulations under which Commissions in the British Regular Army may be obtained by Officers in the Military Forces of the Self-Governing Dominions and Crown Colonies; Short Guide to the various ways of obtaining a Commission in His Majesty's Regular Army; Training and Use of Scouts.

Among non-fiction, the "Scott Expedition" has proved the most popular during the month, having held its own with the war interests.

The steady demand for H. G. Wells' "World Set Free" gives him first place amongst the writers of fiction. H. B. Wright is an easy if astonishing second with his "Eyes of the World." His "Shepherd of the Hills" and J. Fox's "Trail of the Lonesome Pine" are enjoying one of the frequent spells of popularity that their alliance with the stage and picture shows create for them. Toystoy's "Resurrection" is also being momentarily revived again.

EXPRESS COMPANY ACTS

Employees Going to Front Given Bonus and Promised Positions on Return—Free Transportation

An important announcement was made yesterday by Mr. J. H. Young, local agent of the Dominion Express Co. He stated that he had been informed by Mr. P. Helme, the company's superintendent, that any men in its employ who volunteered for service and went to the front would be paid their regular salary for six months, and their positions would be held open for them. Mr. Young also asserted that notice had been given that the company would carry free of charge donations of clothing, etc., for Valcartier, Que., and other camps, when forwarded by the Canadian Relief Committee, representing the Canadian Red Cross, St. John's Ambulance Society or the Department of Militia and Defence. It is explained that other associations, public bodies or individuals making application for free transportation should be referred to the Canadian Relief Committee.

OBITUARY NOTICES

The funeral took place yesterday afternoon of the late W. Barrington Reilly, impressive services being conducted by the Rev. E. G. Miller. The two hymns, "Rock of Ages" and "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," were sung. Many friends and members of the Masonic Order attended, and there were some beautiful offerings of flowers. Interment took place in Ross Bay Cemetery. The pallbearers were: Messrs. A. Walker, H. Diggon and E. Fairey, representing the Camosun Lodge A.F. and A.M., and R. W. Mayhew, E. King and J. F. Pinkham. The deceased was forty-eight years of age, a native of Ireland, and had only been in Victoria for five weeks when his death occurred. He was a well-known citizen of Calgary, a prominent Mason, and a director of the Y.M.C.A. He is survived by a widow. (Calgary papers please copy.)

Funeral services will be held in the B.C. Funeral Co.'s chapel this morning, at 10 o'clock, over the remains of Morisaku Ikushima, a sailor of the Japanese warship Idzumo, who died as the result of an accident on the 17th of this month. The deceased was twenty years of age, and was born at Sagaken, Japan. The remains will be cremated.

Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN

ROWLANDS—At Obed Ave., on Sept. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. W. Unsworth Rowlands, a son.

DIED

PURCELL—The funeral of the late Joseph Purcell will take place Monday, Sept. 14, at 8:45 a. m., from the Victoria Undertaking parlors, fifteen minutes later at the Roman Catholic Cathedral, where mass will be held. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

KLOPPENBURG—The death occurred this morning, at the residence of her grandson, W. J. Sawyer, Tillicum Road, of Mrs. Jeltje Bonkje Kloppenburg, a native of Holland. The deceased, who had only lived here about two years, was 81 years of age.
The funeral will take place from the Victoria Undertaking Parlors at 3 o'clock on Saturday afternoon.

WHEELER—On the 17th inst., at his home, 944 Bank Street, Harry Harvey Wheeler, aged 58 years. Born in St. Louis, Missouri, U. S. A. The deceased has been a resident of this city for the past three years, and leaves to mourn his loss, besides his widow, two sons, Joseph and Harold, and one sister, Mrs. N. Douglas, of Victoria.
The funeral will take place on Saturday, the 19th inst., at 1:30 o'clock, from the chapel of the Sands Funeral Furnishing Company. The Rev. Leslie Clay will officiate. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery. No flowers, by request.

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Canadian Officer Killed

MONTREAL, Sept. 18.—One of the few Canadians so far reported in the British casualty list is Captain E. R. Jones, a brother of A. U. Jones, Montreal. Captain Jones, who formerly resided in this city, was killed at the battle of Mons, where he was serving with his regiment, the Cheshires. Captain Jones was a son of ex-Mayor Simon Jones, of St. John, N. B., but now of London, and was born in St. John.

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AIR CRAFT REGULATIONS

Flight of Aeroplane Near Welland Canal Leads to Restrictions—Must Keep Away From Cities

OTTAWA, Sept. 18.—Air craft have crossed the American border on several occasions since war began in Europe, and fear that a German or Austrian sympathizer in the United States or Canada may resort to bomb throwing has led the Canadian Government to make regulations, announced here tonight, governing the movements of aeroplanes in Canada.

A few days ago, it is learned, the actions of an aeroplane in the vicinity of Welland Canal excited so much suspicion that guards were prepared to fire upon it. The Government, under the regulations, forbids flights within ten miles of the principal centres of population, and points at which aeroplanes may alight have been designated.

Guards have been ordered to fire on air craft within ten miles of Halifax, Sydney, St. John, Charlottetown, Quebec, Valcartier, Montreal, Ottawa, Edmonton, Kingston, Toronto, London, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, Victoria and Vancouver, and of any Government wireless stations.

Any aeroplane carrying passengers which crosses the international boundary will be allowed to land only at Annapolis, N. S.; Woodstock, N. B.; Lake Megantic and Hemmingford, Que.; Athens, Welland and Essex, Ont.; Morris, Man.; Estevan, Sask.; Lethbridge, Alta., and Chilliwack, B. C.

A Canadian officer must be carried on any air craft which enters and lands in Canada, and no firearms, explosives or photographic apparatus may be carried.

Italians Demonstrate.

ROME, Sept. 18.—Despite the most energetic measures taken by the Government, demonstrations in opposition to Italy's attitude of neutrality continued in the larger towns today. The police being insufficient, troops are being employed extensively to repress the demonstrations, re-establish order and protect foreign embassies and consulates.

In Women's Realm

By MARIA LAWSON

THE COUNTESS OF BATHURST

We Do Not Serve the Dead

We do not serve the dead—the past is past!
God lives, and lifts His glorious morning up
Before the eyes of men, awake at last,
Who put away the meats they used to sup.
And down upon the dust of earth outcast
The dregs remaining of the ancient cup,
Then turn to wakeful prayer and worthy act.
The dead, upon their awful 'vantage ground,
The sun not in their faces—shall abstract
No more our strength: we will not be discrown'd
As guardians of their crowns; nor deign transact
A barter of the present, for a sound
Of good, so counted in the foregone days.
O Dead, ye shall no longer cling to us
With rigid hands of desiccating praise,
And drag us backwards by the garment's hem,
To stand and laud you in long-drawn virelays!
We will not henceforth be oblivious
Of our own lives, because you lived before.
Nor of our acts, because ye acted well.
We thank you that ye first unlatched the door—
But will not make it inaccessible
By thankings on the threshold any more.
We hurry onward to extinguish hell
With our young souls, our younger hope, and God's
Maturity of purpose. Soon shall we
Die also! and that then our periods
Of life may round themselves to memmory,
As smoothly as on our graves the burial sods,
We now must look to it to excel as ye,
And bear our age as far, unlimited
By the last mind mark; so, to be invoked
By future generations as their dead.
—Elizabeth Barrett Browning.

A Versatile Lady

The Countess of Bathurst has shown herself able to conduct a great newspaper, The Morning Post, left to her by her father, Baron Glenelak.

Now that her country needs her services in another sphere, Lady Bathurst is one of the leaders of Queen Mary's Needlework Guild. We may be very sure there will be no confusion and no waste in the department over which she presides.

This lady has shown herself able to compete with great men in what is admitted to be a very difficult task. She is showing now that she not only has a woman's compassion, but that she excels in the womanly art of needlework.

Work such as the Needlework Guild has undertaken requires a resourcefulness and a power of organization not ordinarily possessed by women who have little experience in dealing with large affairs. To avoid waste on the one hand and niggardliness on the other, to send relief where it is needed and without needless delay, to be a help and not a hindrance to the War Department are some of the problems Lady Bathurst will help her fellow-women to solve.

Patriotic Service

On August 5, the day after the declaration of war, the Patriotic Service Committee, I. O. D. E., was organized, and went to work without delay. The result has been that no distress among the dependents of the men who have volunteered for active service has arisen.

So far as the members have been able to ascertain the needs of all women and children, or mothers depending for support on the men at the camp or at the front have been supplied.

The duty of administering the fund so generously subscribed by Victoria citizens has been delegated to the committee, the officers of which are Mrs. Day, Mrs. W. B. Oliver, Mrs. Philip and Miss King, secretary. There are in addition some forty visitors, each of whom feels that the families of the soldiers are entitled, not only to pecuniary help, but to the kindest sympathy and consideration.

Perhaps peculiar interest has been taken in the reservists. The small sum received by each of these as an allowance from the army at home has helped to supplement the earnings of the men, which in too many cases was not large. It was felt that by their former services these men had an additional claim on the committee. There were, too, among the volunteers, excellent citizens, who, owing to the scarcity of work during the past months, had come to the end of their resources.

Many of these had homes of their own for which they were paying on the instalment plan. To save the homes for wives and children has been part of the aim of the committee, and the ladies have found that, in most case, the owners or agent have been willing to make favorable terms.

The willingness of the husbands to do everything possible to aid in the support of their families has been most gratifying. In many cases the wives have received $7 out of the $7.70 which is the weekly allowance of the militia man.

While considering themselves the trustees for the Patriotic Fund and feeling that they are administering, not charity, but a debt which ought to be paid, still the ladies feel that they are in duty bound to do their work in the most businesslike way.

So far as they are known to them all wives and mothers who have no other resources than the earnings of their husbands or sons who have taken their places in the ranks have been visited.

Up to date this number is 239. Pains are taken to find out what is needed and this, when at all possible, is supplied.

As a careful record is being kept, there is little danger of overlapping. No work is done for the families which they can do for themselves, and what must be given out furnishes employment for women who would otherwise be idle. In this way the committee is conferring a double benefit. The only exceptions to this rule is the work for infants being done by the Camosun Chapter and similar gifts to mothers bestowed by the Col. Currie Chapter, I. O. D. E.

In short, the Daughters of the Empire by inaugurating at the beginning of trouble the campaign for the collection of a Patriotic Fund and by the appointment of a committee to administer it have prevented the possibility of distress among soldiers' wives and mothers and children. For this they are entitled to the gratitude of their fellow citizens.

Whatever further steps may be taken by the Government or by the Patriotic Society to provide for the families of the soldiers, it is to their credit that the initial steps have prevented anxiety and suffering to the women who were already bearing the grief of the separation and absence. From Mrs. Henry Croft, the regent of the Provincial Chapter, to the youngest Daughter of the Empire, all members have shown in this crisis a spirit of true patriotism.

Territorial Hospitals

Now that great numbers of British soldiers are fighting their country's battles on the continent, it is interesting to learn what provision is being made for their care.

We have read that Red Cross nurses follow the army to the field and that hospital ships are with the fleet. But it is not desirable that men who can be removed should remain at the seat of war.

When the territorial forces were organized, Lord Haldane, War Minister, and Sir Alfred Keogh, Director-General of the Army Medical Service, formed a scheme for the "Distribution of the Sick and Voluntary Aid." An advisory council of matrons of great hospitals and lay women was formed, with Queen Alexandra as president and Miss Haldane as vice-president.

Provision was made for the opening of twenty-three hospitals in various parts of the country in time of emergency. This is the first time there has been need for these hospitals, and, according to the Ladies' Field, the system is proving very successful.

Miss Haldane herself has gone to Scotland, where she is chairman of the committee of the Edinburgh Hospital, which has been provided by the Parish Council. Each of the twenty-three hospitals numbers 520 beds, so that, with an ordinary percentage of sickness, an army of 200,000 men could be dealt with. As we all know now, the number of volunteers for this force, who are now or will soon be at the front, will call for a much larger provision.

The female nursing staff at the beginning of the war was 2,760, who would be required to attend the 12,000 beds for which provision was made. In time of peace the territorial nurses are busy in hospitals or at private nursing. They then receive no allowance, except that matrons who have had two weeks' training every two years at one of the military hospitals are paid all expenses during training.

Only fully trained nurses with a three-year certificate are accepted as territorials, as the same high standard is insisted upon which rules for the first line in the army.

The matron of the largest hospital is the "organising matron," and to her the nurses have to report themselves annually. A committee appointed through the territorial associations assist the matron in this work, and now that war has broken out, are doing really splendid work.

The wounded and sick are brought to the hospitals through the instrumentality of the Red Cross Society.

In this, as in many other ways, the women of the Old Land are helping to heal and comfort the suffering. Surely the women of Canada, who are mercifully saved such sights as Miss Haldane and her co-workers must witness continually, should be willing to help to provide what succor is in their power.

Ottawa Red Cross

The ladies of Ottawa have taken a novel way of raising funds for the Red Cross Society. On the 11th inst., the Rea Departmental Store was given up to them for the day.

The general manager for the day was Lady Borden. The Soorwalkers were Lady Foster, Mrs. Oliver, Mme. Lemieux, and Mrs. W. T. Herridge.

Numbered among the department managers were Mrs. T. W. Crothers, wife of the Minister of Labor; Mme. Louis Coderre, wife of the Secretary of State; Mrs. W. T. White, wife of the Minister of Finance; and Mme. L. P. Pelletier, wife of the Postmaster-General. Mrs. Crothers had charge of furs; Mme. Coderre of silverware; Mrs. White of silks and velvets; and Mme. Pelletier of the butcher shop.

The salesladies wore a Red Cross badge. Princess Patricia was one of the numerous customers.

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AMALGAMATION IN WESTERN FOOTBALL

Alberta Officials Propose Organization of Western Canada Football Association, Embracing Three Provinces.

A Western Football Association, embracing the leagues in British Columbia, Alberta, and Saskatchewan, is being advocated by Calgary footballers. Since the withdrawal of the British Columbia Association from the D. F. A., officials of the Alberta body have conceived the idea that the time is ripe for the launching of a new governing body for Western Canada. The Easterners, who control the affairs of the D. F. A., are too overbearing, it is said. When officers were elected recently, Alberta, British Columbia and Saskatchewan were not represented on the board of directors.

The report of this movement was being discussed in local football circles yesterday with considerable interest, although a doubt was expressed that it would come to anything. It is expected that some official communication in regard to it will be forthcoming.

The object of the Calgarians obviously is that British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan shall form a Western governing body with championships for club teams and also inter-Provincial selected teams. If this were done it might be possible for the champion team to meet the Eastern champions for the championship of Canada, which, by the way, has never yet been played for, despite all this talk of the Connaught Cup being emblematic of the title.

Writing of football in the Old Country, A. B. George says:

"The Rugby football clubs (amateur) are showing more patriotism than the professional association clubs. The latter are helping the Prince of Wales' Relief Fund by handing over the gate receipts at practice matches, but one hears of few professional players volunteering for service. Matters are more pleasing in the Rugby world, and several clubs will have to fulfil ther engagements with strange teams. No fewer than eight of the Yorkshire regular team are now wearing uniforms, two of the number (the brothers King), having joined the Territorials since the war commenced.

"Another proud record is that of Birkenhead Park, the honorary secretary having announced that the season's fixtures will have to be cancelled as practically the whole of the first fifteen, and nearly all the playing members are serving their Empire in some way or another. Contrasted with the announcement in a London sporting paper that the Eastbourne lawn tennis tournament will be held as usual, and that the executive have arranged a "round of pleasure," one is naturally reminded of the value of "Rugger" as a game to foster the fighting instinct, without which we would soon cease to exist as a power."

WELSH CLUB IS READY FOR "RUGGER" SEASON

Former University of Wales Player Elected to Captaincy of Team—New Players on List

An enthusiastic organization meeting was held by the Victoria Welsh Rugby Club at the Victoria Hotel last evening, at which it was decided to enter a team in the Barnard Cup series and officers were elected for the ensuing season.

The election of I. A. Thomas as captain of the 1914-'15 season was the development of chief interest to the players. Thomas is a scrum half-back of experience and reputation. He captained the University of Wales last season and was formerly a member of a club under the Welsh Rugby Union. He is a former team-mate of Messrs. Hendra and Davies, two other local Welsh Club men. Thomas came out from the Old Country only a few months ago. His presence is expected to add very appreciably to the strength of the Welsh team.

The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Mr. G. R. Hughes; vice-presidents, Messrs. Tom Edwards, J. Lea, L. Evans, H. Owens, D. Spencer, jr., W. Spencer, Stewart Williams, D. A. Davies, Arthur Hill, Jesse Evans, Dai Thomas and Drs. Leeder and Jones; financial secretary, Mr. W. Bale; recording secretary, Mr. H. H. Boyd; captain, Mr. I. A. Thomas; delegates, Messrs. H. H. Boyd and Bale; selection committee, Messrs. Davies, Grey, Arthur Hill and W. Bevan.

Another general meeting of the club will be held on Wednesday evening, September 23, at which the first practice match will be arranged.

It was stated that the club would be able to field a number of new players this season, and might with reasonable assurance look forward to a very successful season.

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ARRANGEMENTS FOR INMAN-HOPPE MATCH

Leaders in Billiards Will Play in Metropolitan Building Here

Arrangements have practically been completed to have Melbourne Inman and Willie Hoppe, the two famous billiardists, play in the Metropolitan Building, which is on Yates Street just above Douglas, when they visit Victoria. They are scheduled to play here on November 24 and 25, afternoons and evenings. Seats for between 500 and 600 people will be provided. The two champions will play 1,000 up in English billiards and the same in American billiards, and will be open to meet any of the local cracks.

PRONOUNCE TRACK IN GOOD CONDITION

Hoped That Jupiter Pluvius Will Withhold Rain So That the Motor Racers May Endeavor to Break Records.

Promoters of the motor car and cycle race meet, which is to be held at the Willows track this afternoon, inspected the track last evening, and the examination convinced them that, if it does not rain today, the track will be in good condition, despite the inclement weather of the last few days. The entrants in the majority of events have agreed to compete, rain or shine, but it is hoped that Jupiter Pluvius will be kind and withhold further moisture, so that the riders and drivers may have a good chance to carry out their design of breaking existing records.

Two entries were received yesterday for the ladies' motor car event, and it is expected that others will be received today. This will be a decidedly unique feature of the programme, it being the first time that a race for drivers of the fair sex has been billed in any meet held in the Northwest. For the touring car event it has been decided to accept post entries, as some of the drivers wish to view the track before entering their cars. There being more danger of accidents with the heavy cars, a wet track would probably cause the cancellation of this event. One of the intending entrants is Frank Sweeney, a prominent local lacrosse and Rugby player.

The first event will be started promptly at 2:30 o'clock. The officials are the same as handled the last meeting. The entries follow: Drivers—G. W. Riddle (Winnipeg), H. Palmer, H. Hanover, R. Steele, J. R. Cameron, L. Nelson, A. J. Smith, J. Casey, R. Lustig, P. Leman (Winnipeg), E. J. Cameron, Frank Sweeney, L. Nelson and A. Anderson. Riders—O. Raynor, J. Market, Ted Christie, A. Miller, H. Stofer, D. G. Carmichael, J. J. Rose, B. Tubman, E. H. Hanbury, J. Cameron, D. Whittier and F. Nobbs.

West Juniors Practice

The Victoria West junior football team will hold a practice today at 2:30 o'clock on the old Indian Reserve field. All members are requested to attend.

Empires Football Team

The Empires football team for their game with the Fairfields at the North Ward Park today is as follows: Davies; Elliott and Castle; Smith, Nash and Martin; Hoods, J. Cummins, Pike, J. Cummins and one other; spares, Day, Dobbie, McLeod, Laity, Alcock and Murch.

FIRST PRACTICE FOR FIELD HOCKEY TEAM

The Victoria ladies' field hockey team will hold its first practice of the season at Oak Bay this afternoon. All players are requested to attend. Miss Briggs has been selected to captain the team and Miss Florence Sehl for the vice-captaincy. The Victoria Club will play games with New Westminster and Vancouver before Christmas.

NATIONAL CHAMPION IS BEATEN BY CHURCH

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 18.—Geo. M. Church surprised the tennis world today by wresting the inter-collegiate championship from R. Norris Williams, the title holder and national champion. The Davis Cup player went down to defeat by the scores of 8-6, 9-7, 4-6 and 7-5.

Automobile and Motor Cycle Races

WILLOWS TRACK

Today, 2:30 p.m.

Admission, 50c Children, 25c

CALL TO BASKETBALL SPORT IS SOUNDED

Players Responding in Numbers Large Enough to Give Promise of Another Successful Season.

The call to basketball has been sounded and the players are responding in numbers large enough to give promise of another successful season. Some little practising has already been done, and the clubs are beginning to size up their material with a view to forming teams for the city league. It is practically certain that the Y.M.C.A. and the Victoria West Club will have teams in both divisions, senior and junior, and the James Bay Club will have at least a senior quintette, and probably will be entered in the lower grade.

It has been announced that the basketball season will open officially about the first week in October. A House League will be organized at the Y. M. C. A. and the City League put under way as early as possible. The Northwest Y. M. C. A. League series will also be played, according to present plans, with Victoria, Bellingham, Vancouver and New Westminster entered.

Basketball was revived in Victoria last Fall after several seasons of disuetude and was carried on very successfully during the Winter and early Spring months. The play was of a good class, and a healthy interest was taken in the various competitions by the sporting public. This season even better things are looked for.

The Wests, Y. M. C. A. and James Bays were entered in the senior city series last season and the championship was won by the Y. M. C. A.; in the intermediate series the Wests won from a field of five, including the James Bays, Y. M. C. A., Law Students and Sunday Schools. The Northwest League championship was won by Vancouver.

POST SEASON GAMES FOR ISLAND HONORS

Nanaimo Will Play Brown's All-Stars a Double-Header at Ball Park This Afternoon

Balcom has been selected to pitch the first game for Brown's all-stars against Nanaimo at the Royal Athletic Park this afternoon. Balcom is a youngster for whom critics are predicting a great future. He has good control, a beautiful curve and very fair speed. In a recent game at Nanaimo he held the Miners to four hits, but was beaten, 4 to 1, chiefly because of weak support.

Two games will be played this afternoon, the first starting at 2 o'clock and the second two hours later. An admission of 25c will be charged for the double-header.

By winning both, Brown's all-stars can annex the championship of Vancouver Island. The series between them and the Miners at present stands two and one, the latter being on the long end. Victoria won the first of the series, 4 to 3, and Nanaimo the other two, 6 to 5 and 4 to 1. As the scores indicate, neither team had much of a margin in any one encounter.

"Iron Man" Biddle is slated to work in the opening contest for the visitors, and Martin will be on mound duty for them in the second. In addition to Balcom, Victoria has three pitchers to choose from, Theo Townsley, Charlie Surphlis and Richardson.

The teams were yesterday announced as follows: Brown's all-stars: Robertson, c.; Bray, 1b.; Petticrew, 2b.; Milan, 3b.; Fred Brown, ss.; George Burns, c.f.; A. McGregor, r.f.; Ledingham, l.f.; Townsley, Balcom, Surphlis and Richardson, p. Nanaimo—Piper, c.; Bittle, 1b.; Collen, 2b.; Boyce, ss.; Shepherd, 3b.; Beatty, c.f.; Weeks, l.f.; Thompson, r.f.; R. Benedict, manager; Biddle and Martin, p.

LEAGUE BASEBALL RESULTS

American

At Chicago—New York, 5; Chicago, 7.
At Cleveland—Boston, 4; Cleveland, 5 (10 innings).
At St. Louis—Washington, 1; St. Louis, 0.
At Detroit—Philadelphia, 2; Detroit, 3.

League Standing

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	39	47	.655
Boston	61	53	.505
Detroit	74	64	.536
Washington	70	63	.526
Chicago	64	71	.474
New York	62	76	.449
St. Louis	59	74	.444
Cleveland	43	92	.319

National

At Brooklyn—Chicago, 0; Brooklyn, 2.
At Boston—St. Louis, 1; Boston, 1 (12 innings; called for darkness).
At Philadelphia—Pittsburg, 4; Philadelphia, 6.
At New York—Cincinnati, 2; New York, 3.

League Standing

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	77	55	.584
New York	75	59	.560
Chicago	72	64	.529
St. Louis	71	64	.526
Philadelphia	65	71	.478
Pittsburg	62	73	.462
Cincinnati	65	78	.455
Brooklyn	59	74	.444

Federal

At Pittsburg—Chicago, 3; Pittsburg, 5.
At Buffalo—St. Louis, 1; Buffalo, 3.
At Brooklyn—Indianapolis, 5; Brooklyn, 4.
At Baltimore—Kansas City, 6; Baltimore, 1.

League Standing

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Indianapolis	76	59	.563
Chicago	74	60	.552
Baltimore	67	62	.536
Brooklyn	65	64	.515
Buffalo	65	62	.515
Kansas City	62	72	.462
St. Louis	59	76	.427
Pittsburg	56	75	.427

Coast

At Portland—Venice-Portland, rain.
At Los Angeles—Oakland, 5; Los Angeles, 4.
At San Francisco—Mission, 0; San Francisco, 2.

League Standing

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Portland	89	69	.562
San Francisco	94	78	.563
Los Angeles	92	81	.525
Venice	90	80	.529
Mission	76	97	.440
Oakland	67	104	.[illegible]

FINAL FOR LADIES' GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

GLEN COVE, N. Y., Sept. 18.—In the closest match of the week's play for the women's national golf championship on the Nassau Country Club links, Miss Elaine V. Rosenthal, of Chicago, defeated Mrs. R. H. Barlow, champion of the Philadelphia District, by one up today, and tomorrow will play Mrs. H. A. Jackson, of Boston, for the championship.

Both players were even at the turn. Mrs. Jackson, the eastern champion, and a former holder of the national title, outplayed Mrs. G. H. Vanderbreck, of Philadelphia, and won rather easily by 2 to 1 in the other semi-final.

UNABLE TO COMMENCE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The courts at the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club were in no condition for play yesterday and the commencement of the British Columbia junior championships was postponed. The matches will start today if the weather permits and, if not, they will be played at the earliest possible date. It is announced that two more entries have been received for the girl's championship.

VERRALL'S "BENEFIT" WILL BE FINAL GAME

Strong Sides Selected for Cricket Match at Jubilee Hospital Grounds This Afternoon—Cricketers Invited.

Verrall's "benefit" will be the final match of the cricket season. It will be played on the Jubilee Hospital grounds this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock sharp between the Victoria C. C. and a military eleven, captained by J. H. Gillespie. The opposing sides will comprise some of the best cricketers on Vancouver Island and, given reasonably fair weather conditions, a highly interesting match is bound to be seen. The Victoria club will play the majority of its regulars, whose prowress won for the club second ranking on the Island this year, and, included in the military side, will be such capable players as the Gillespies and Bagnall.

All cricketers are especially invited to attend. An admission of twenty-five cents will be charged for gentlemen.

The teams are as follows: Military—J. H. Gillespie (captain), H. A. Foster, E. Shakespeare, W. L. Hodgkins, O. N. O'Callaghan, J. Wise, R. D. Gillespie, R. Bagnall, and J. Cole. Victoria C. C.—H. A. Goward (captain), R. N. Hebden, J. W. York, A. E. Mitchell, E. A. Duncan, T. Hayward, A. Lethaby, F. D. Morrisson, D. Gillespie, H. R. Orr, and A. Booth.

All members of the Five C's Cricket Club who can make it convenient are asked to attend the cricket match today at the Jubilee Hospital ground for Verrall's benefit.

TODAY'S SPORT CARD.

Race Meet

Motor car and cycle races, Willows track, 2:30 o'clock.

Baseball

Nanaimo vs. F. Brown's All-Stars, double-header, Royal Athletic Park, 2 and 4 o'clock.

Cricket

Verrall's Benefit; Victoria C. C. vs. Military Side, Jubilee Hospital grounds, 1:30 o'clock.

Football

Civic Service vs. Land Registry Office, Heywood Avenue, 2:30 o'clock.

Empires vs. Fairfields, Central Park, 3 o'clock.

Tennis

British Columbia Junior Championship, Victoria Club Courts.

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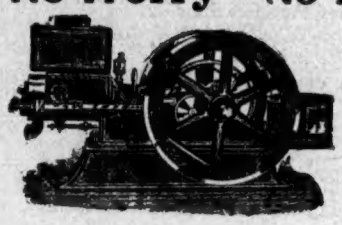

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50 ins., yard ..... **40¢**

EVIDENCE TAKEN ON VICTORIA COLLISION

Captain Hickey and Officers of C. P. R. Steamer Testify Before Marine Court—Investigation Resumed Today.

Formal enquiry into the circumstances attending the collision between the C. P. R. steamer Princess Victoria and the Alaska-Pacific Navigation Company's steamer Admiral Sampson was begun yesterday before Captain J. D. Macpherson, wreck commissioner for British Columbia, and Captains David Jones and George S. Lapraik, marine assessors. The owners of the Princess Victoria were represented by Mr. E. V. Bodwell, K. C., and Mr. J. E. McMullen, of Vancouver. There was a slight hitch during the afternoon proceedings, when Mr. C. F. Riddell, of Seattle, counsel for the Pacific-Alaska Navigation Co., was informed by Captain Macpherson, in view of his statement that he had no direct authority to represent the owners of the Admiral Sampson and could produce no witnesses for the other side, that he would be unable to cross-examine the C. P. R. witnesses giving evidence before the court of inquiry.

Had No Authority

At the outset it was pointed out by Mr. Riddell that he had no authority to represent the Pacific-Alaska Navigation Co, neither had he any power to guarantee the attendance of any witnesses. The reason for his presence there was that he understood that the inquiry was to be of a public nature.

Mr. Bodwell ventured the opinion that it would be impossible to hold a searching inquiry unless some evidence was forthcoming from those who were aboard the Admiral Sampson at the time of the collision. The court were agreed that it was in the interests of all concerned to secure all the evidence possible.

Finally Mr. Riddell suggested that he be given time in which to communicate with the owners of the Admiral Sampson, with a view to securing witnesses. This was readily agreed to by Captain Macpherson and his assessors, and the court was adjourned until 2 o'clock.

Afternoon Session

Upon the reassembling of the court, Mr. Riddell, who, in the meantime had communicated by wire with the owners of the Sampson, announced to the court that the company could not guarantee to produce witnesses. The company did not feel, in view of possible civil proceedings that might be launched, and considering that an inquiry under United States laws was in progress, that it would like to produce witnesses to present facts, as it thought the facts were.

Acting on instructions, Mr. Riddell stated that the log-book and witnesses for the Princess Victoria had been within the jurisdiction of the United States authorities, but had been removed from that jurisdiction. Mr. Bodwell pointed out that in the inquiry held at Seattle, all the log-books and witnesses had been produced, and the extracts of the books and testimony of the witnesses was on record in the United States courts.

Captain Macpherson wished it to be understood that the court was only concerned as to whether or not any person was to blame for the collision. The court then proceeded to take the evidence of witnesses, Captain Hickey being first sworn.

Captain Hickey Testifies.

In answer to a question put by Captain Macpherson, Captain Hickey stated that he had been in the employ of the C. P. R. for twenty-one years, for fifteen years of which he had been in command of a vessel. He considered he had a good knowledge of the waters where the mishap occurred. In relating his story, he stated that misty weather marked the voyage of the Princess Victoria from Vancouver, and he took every precaution. The second officer called him when off Active Pass, and he noticed that the weather cleared when the Victoria was abeam of that point. The first officer was on watch at 4 a.m., and shortly afterwards the mists again descended.

Captain Macpherson asked Captain Hickey what speed the vessel was making at the time.

Captain Hickey asserted that the Victoria was averaging fourteen knots.

At 4.32 a.m. he heard a boat's whistle on the starboard bow off Point Wilson, and he at once telegraphed the order below to proceed under a slow bell. He passed Point Wilson about one mile offshore, and he could distinctly hear the whistle, and claimed that he was in a good position.

He shaped his course to Marrowstone Point, which was passed at 4.55 a.m. It was still thick, and he ordered the vessel to be slowed down again. The course was changed about two points, and she was eased down. The alarm at Point No Point was picked up.

Heard Steamer's Whistle.

When off Double Bluff, he heard a steamer's whistle, which appeared to be a little to the westward of Point No Point. The Victoria was slowed down to half speed at 5.42 a.m., as in meeting another vessel he wished to have his ship under control.

He slowed down for no other reason. He then blew a long whistle, but got no reply, and ventured the remark that "she was slightly aparing with her steam."

Thought He Was Clear.

By that time he thought he was clear. While he was waiting for the steamer to answer his whistle, he imagined what appeared to be like the wash of a tide-rip on his starboard bow.

He at once ordered the engines half speed astern.

His object in backing was to get out of the way of the steamer, but, after from thirty to fifty seconds had elapsed, the bow of the Admiral Sampson passed his stem. Captain Macpherson wanted to know why he did not put the Victoria full speed astern. Captain Hickey stated that it was too late.

"Don't you think the impact would have been considerably less if you had put her full speed astern?" Captain Macpherson asked.

"No, it was too late," replied Captain Hickey.

He said there was no chance to put the helm hard aport. He was backing at half speed when the Victoria struck, and he was at once aware that considerable damage had been done.

Shouted Orders.

He shouted to those on board not to get excited, as he would stay with them. He also shouted orders to have the passengers roused. During this time he kept the Victoria ahead, and sounded the signal for fire-drill.

A ladder was lowered over the bow, and ropes were made fast, and a large number of people were taken aboard the Victoria in this manner. There was no excitement. He ordered the boats to be lowered, and this was done with dispatch.

The bow of the Victoria was still kept against the Sampson with the engines working. He kept the Victoria pressing against the side of the damaged vessel, until he saw that she was settling fast, and it was not until he was convinced that the sinking vessel's spars might do some damage, that he backed out. When he saw her disappear, he went ahead again, and stayed with the wreckage.

Safety First Consideration.

In answer to a question by Captain Macpherson, Captain Hickey stated that his company's first consideration was the safety of the public. It was up to him to take every precaution, and nothing would be said if he was six hours behind schedule.

In calculating the distances, Captain Macpherson said that the Victoria was apparently averaging seventeen knots. Captain Hickey contended that might be accounted for by the strong tide.

In reply to Captain Jones, Captain Hickey stated that he had always held some speed in reserve. Proceeding at half speed he thought it would take five minutes to stop her.

Answering a question put by Captain Lapraik, Captain Hickey stated that he always slowed down when he heard a whistle dead ahead.

Some amusement was caused in court when Mr. Bodwell asked Captain Hickey if there was any peculiarity about the whistle of the Victoria. Captain Hickey stated that the whistle was known far and wide, and was declared by fond mothers to wake the babies within a radius of several miles.

Chief Officer's Evidence.

Chief Officer Slater, in his evidence, said that the Victoria's boats were all in good condition, and there was absolutely no trouble in getting them into the water. The engines were going astern before the Sampson was struck. The Admiral Sampson was not seen until she was within about thirty or forty feet. She had sounded the regular fog-whistles. He accounted for the quick passage made by the fact that there was a strong tide running. Fire drill was held on the Victoria once a week.

Harold Tattersall, A. B., testified that he was the lookout man on the Victoria at the time of the accident, being stationed in the forecastle head. He said that the whistle of the Sampson was only heard about half a dozen times before the collision, and was sure the last whistle of the Victoria was not answered. He first saw the wash under the bows of the approaching vessel before being able to make out any part of the vessel itself.

Quartermaster McGillivray, who had the wheel of the Victoria at the time of the accident, gave evidence as to the courses steered, and as to the orders telegraphed to the engine-room. He said that when the Sampson was first seen from the Victoria she was too close for it to have been possible to avoid the accident by any alteration of the helm, or manipulation of the engines.

Signals Explained.

Mr. James Wallace, chief engineer, next took the stand, and informed the commissioner of the best and average speeds of the Victoria. He said that she was very quick to answer to her engines, being a light boat with heavy power. He also explained the system of bell signals for the closing of the watertight compartments. The chief said that the concussion on striking the Sampson was so slight, as felt in the engine-room, that he did not know there had been a collision at all. He also told the court that it was the regular procedure on board the boat to close all the watertight doors at night and not to open them under any circumstances.

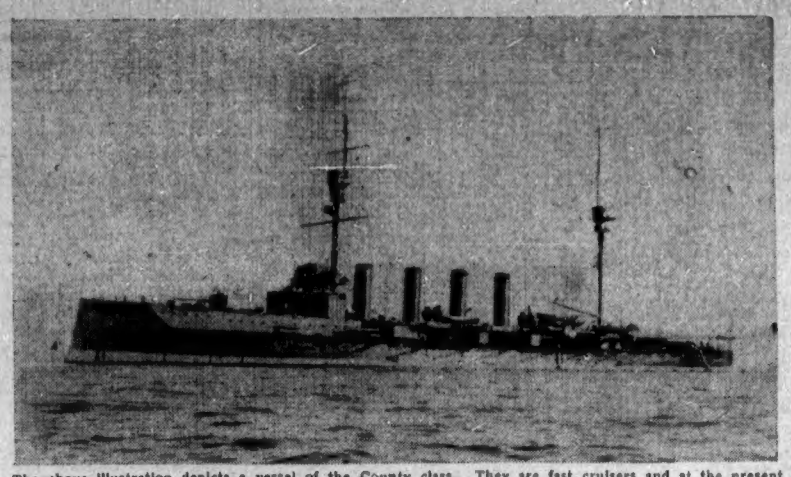
Second Engineer Roe corroborated his chief's evidence as to the slight concussion felt below decks.

Thos. Graham, oiler on the Victoria, and two firemen gave corroborative evidence on points in the evidence of the previous witnesses, and Chief Engineer Wallace, recalled, explained the working of the oil-burning system on the ship and its efficiency with regard to getting full power on the engines immediately on receiving a full speed astern bell.

Capt. Hickey Recalled

Capt. Hickey, recalled, corroborated the evidence as to the regular closing of the watertight doors every night and also in foggy weather, and explained the system of boat drill he had inaugurated on his ship and the excellent working of that system, particularly on the occasion of the accident. He testified that he had eight boats and two rafts in the water in about eight minutes. He also gave evidence concerning the fire which broke out in the fore part of his ship after the collision, saying that the injuries which caused the death of the stowaway, who afterwards died in Seattle, were caused by burns received in this fire while he was trying to make his way off the Sampson on to the Victoria.

After Captain Hickey had finished his evidence the commission was adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock.



The above illustration depicts a vessel of the County class. They are fast cruisers and at the present time are proving very effective in patrolling the Atlantic and Pacific oceans.

KARLUK SURVIVORS TO BE TRANSFERRED

Revenue Cutter Bear Cannot Be Spared to Bring Rescued Men South.

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 18.—Revenue cutter men here think the United States Government will not accede to Capt. Robert A. Bartlett's request that the seven white men of the Karluk's crew brought to Nome by the Bear be conveyed to Seattle on the Bear, which could give them better care than passenger steamers could.

It is pointed out that the Bear is urgently needed in the Bering Sea during the next six weeks. The season of navigation in the Arctic is now nearly ended. There are three whalers, besides the steamer Corwin, which are yet to arrive at Nome. It would be risking life to send an expedition now to seek the Karluk's missing men.

A vessel entering the Arctic would be frozen in the ice almost at once.

TAKES NIGHT RUN

Princess Charlotte Maintaining Midnight Sailing Between Victoria and Terminal City

The C. P. R. steamer Princess Charlotte, Captain Griffin, long associated with the triangular service, is at present maintaining the night service out of this port to Vancouver. The Princess Alice and Princess Adelaide are on the triangular run. With the resumption of the Princess Victoria, it is expected that the Princess Charlotte will return to her old route.

NATAL HAS STEEL CONSIGNED LOCALLY

Danish East Asiatic Liner Has Steel Plates for Victoria Shipbuilding Firm—Regular Calls to Be Made.

Several hundred tons of steel plates for Yarrows, Limited, and a big shipment of bar iron consigned to E. G. Prior & Co., figure on the manifest of the Danish East Asiatic steamship Natal, Captain Dahl, which is due at the beginning of the week from Copenhagen and Antwerp via San Pedro and San Francisco.

The Natal will be the first vessel of the East Asiatic fleet to touch at Victoria, and now that a start has been made it is understood that many of the Danish Company's vessels will be consigned here. The vessel established a speed record for the fleet by making the passage out from Antwerp to San Pedro, via the Magellan Straits, in fifty-seven days. She is a brand new vessel, having only recently been turned out from European yards.

The Natal is being followed to this Coast by the fine new mootership Malakka, which is now on berth in Europe. The Malakka is to bring cargo from Danish and Norwegian ports. It is said that the Antwerp call will be omitted this voyage. The Malakka will be the first vessel of the fleet to come out by way of the Panama Canal.

MAY GOES TO SKAGWAY

Bound for Skagway and Northern British Columbia ports, the C. P. R. steamer Princess May, Captain John McLeod, cleared Victoria last night. The steamer carried a fair list of passengers, a number of whom were destined for Prince Rupert.

For the time being the Princess May is alternating with the Princess Sophia to Alaskan ports, but it is expected that with the inauguration of the Winter schedule the Princess Sophia will be withdrawn, leaving the former vessel to maintain the service.

JAPANESE WARSHIPS PROTECT SHIPPING

Panama Maru Brings Word That Ocean Lanes on the Pacific Are Being Patrolled by Mikado's Navy.

Bringing word from its Yokohama offices that the Japanese Admiralty had given positive assurance that a number of warships have been assigned to protect the lanes of travel between Japan, British Columbia and Puget Sound, and Japan, Honolulu and San Francisco, the Japanese liner Panama Maru, of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha fleet, has arrived at Tacoma, omitting the call at Victoria.

The Panama Maru reported an uneventful voyage. She brought only thirty-seven passengers, seven in the first cabin and the remainder in the steerage. Her cargo included 863 bales of raw silk, silk goods and waste silk, and 300 tons of new-crop tea. Other items of the Panama's cargo were 1,000 cases of crude camphor, 4,000 cases of porcelain, 1,055 cases of toys and curios, 4,000 bags of Manchurian corn, 6,352 bags of maize, 1,300 cases of wool oil and 400 bags of rice.

The Panama Maru is under orders to touch here to pick up passengers on her outward voyage to the Orient. She is posted to sail at the end of the month.

The liner Seattle Maru, which sailed from Yokohama September 16, will be the first of the O. S. K. fleet to resume the regular inward call at Victoria. She has a big list of passengers and full cargo for all ports.

SEATTLE, Sept. 18.—The vessel sighted in distress off Cape Flattery Sunday night was probably a fishing vessel, shipping men say.

COLONIST SHIPPING GUIDE

Ocean Steamships.

To Arrive.

Brodmount, from Orient	Sept. 19
Sado Maru, from Orient	Sept. 22
Makura, from Sydney	Sept. 24
Talthybius, from Liverpool	Sept. 30
Seattle Maru, from Orient	Oct. 1
Historian, from Liverpool	Oct. 4
Monteagle, from Orient	Oct. 7
Yokohama Maru, from Orient	Oct. 7
Empress of India, from Orient	Oct. 8
Den of Airlie, from Orient	Oct. 9
Niagara, from Sydney	Oct. 12
Mexico Maru, from Orient	Oct. 16
Merionethshire, from Orient	Oct. 20
Awa Maru, from Orient	Oct. 23
Montezagle, from Orient	Oct. 26
Cardiganshire, from London	Oct. 30
Chicago Maru, from Orient	Oct. 30

In Port.

H. M. S. Algerine	Esquimalt
H. M. S. Shearwater	Esquimalt
C. S. Restorer	Esquimalt

To Sail

Aki Maru, for Orient	Sept. 22
Panama Maru, for Orient	Sept. 29
Makura, for Australia	Sept. 30
Teucer, for Orient	Sept. 30
Seattle Maru, for Orient	Oct. 13
Empress of India	Oct. 15
Montezagle	Oct. 24
Niagara, for Australia	Oct. 28

Sailed

Niagara, for Australia	Aug. 7
Awa Maru, for Orient	Aug. 11
Chicago Maru, for Orient	Aug. 19
Montezagle, for Orient	Aug. 19
Empress of India, for Orient	Aug. 23
Shidzuoka Maru, for Orient	Aug. 25
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Canadian Pacific Railway

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Sept. 30	Tunisian	Oct. 10

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From Glasgow.	Steamer.	From Montreal.
Sept. 19	Scandinavian	Oct. 8
Sept. 26	Numidian	Oct. 10
October 10	Pretorian	Oct. 31
Oct. 17	Scandinavian	Nov. 7

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From London.	Steamer.	From Montreal.
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Nov. 5	Sicilian	Nov. 15

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FAMOUS SHIP TO CHANGE REGISTRY

Owners of Six-Masted Barkentine Everett G. Griggs Take Advantage of United States Emergency Act.

SEATTLE, Sept. 18.—Another British vessel, the six-masted barkentine Everett G. Griggs, is soon to fly the Stars and Stripes. Owners of the craft, which is lying idle at Eagle Harbor, yesterday made application for American registry under the recent emergency war act of Congress.

The Everett G. Griggs was built in 1883 at Belfast by Harland & Wolff. She was launched as the British barkentine Lord Wolsely. After flying the red ensign of England for some years the vessel was sold to German interests and rechristened the Columbia.

From German registry the barkentine returned to the British flag, under which she has been operating in the Seattle-South American trade.

The big sailing craft has had an interesting career. In 1898 she was caught in a heavy storm off Cape Flattery and dismasted. The vessel, in distress, was picked up by the British steamer Calthness and towed to Esquimalt, B. C. A number of Seattle men then purchased the craft and she was rerigged as the only six-masted barkentine afloat.

Equipped With Wireless

The Everett G. Griggs is one of the few sailing vessels equipped with wireless and having an electric light plant. She has been in command of Capt. E. R. Sterling, who is interested in a financial way in the vessel. Ray M. Sterling, 21 years old, a son of Capt. Sterling, has been with his father in the vessel. The boy has just received his papers as master of steam and sailing vessels and is now the youngest captain on the Coast. He has been mate with his father in the Griggs about four years.

During the last few years a number of prominent shipping men, including Joshua Green, Charles E. Peabody, Frank Burns, James Gibson, Everett G. Griggs, after whom the vessel was named, and the late James Delano, have been interested in her.

Aki Maru Loading

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner Aki Maru is now at Tacoma loading general freight and grain for the Orient.

Neuilly Arrives Out

The French bark Neuilly arrived at Glasgow last Saturday, 112 days out from Eureka, with a cargo of 1,395,526 feet of redwood. Of this quantity 186,112 feet were laden at San Francisco.

Coal for San Francisco

Two steamers laden with coal passed down the straits yesterday bound for San Francisco. The Leelanaw was outbound from Nanaimo and the Thor from Comox.

Birmingham Wins Pennant

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 18.—The Birmingham, Ala., Club of the Southern Association, won the pennant for the 1914 baseball season, which ended yesterday. Mobile finished in second place and New Orleans third.

"KITTY MACKAY" AT LAST IN VICTORIA

Success of New York Here Next Week—Special Military Night

The long-awaited and much-talked of "Kitty MacKay" is now definitely announced as the attraction at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Thursday and Friday, September 24 and 25. Local theatregoers have had to wait for more than one year before seeing "Kitty," who is said to be the cleverest and funniest young lady ever seen on the stage. New York fell in love with Kitty the instant she stepped foot on the stage of the Comedy over a year ago and refused to let her out of their sight for a single minute. The same company that appeared in New York will be seen here.

A special military night will be given on Tursday, September 24, for the 50th Highlanders.

BASEBALL MATCH FOR SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE

Allen Players, in Fancy Costume, Will Meet the C. P. R. Team for Charitable Object

A baseball match on Tuesday next, in which the Allen Stock Co., in fancy costume, will meet the C. P. R. team, with Miss Verna Felton as umpire, is an interesting and attractive event, and the committee of the Connaught Seamen's Institute had done wisely in selecting this method of raising funds for the furnishing of its new premises, instead of attempting to lure a reluctant public, at this period of the year, to an indoor entertainment.

The present inclement weather, one may risk an assumption, will have given place to pleasanter conditions, and in the shelter of the grandstand a thoroughly enjoyable afternoon may be spent. The object to which the proceeds will be devoted is so heartily to be endorsed, moreover, that probably many who find themselves unable to attend the match will still buy tickets. The care of the stranger at our gates is even more than usually incumbent upon a city when the stranger is a "man in blue." That sailors visiting this port may find a haven of comfort and rest other than the saloon bar during their few days ashore is the commendable object of the Seamen's Institute.

The baseball match in support of this object will take place on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 in the Royal Athletic Park. Tickets, fifty cents each, including admission to the grandstand, may be obtained from Messrs. Hibben Bros., Weiler Bros., the C. P. R. office, The Colonist office, and the cigar stands.

QUARTERS FOR SOLDIERS

5th Regiment Will Be Provided Comfortable Shelters—Recruiting Still Brisk

There are 220 men of the 5th Regiment living under canvas at their various posts, according to Lt.-Col. Winsby. Owing to the inclemency of the weather recently it has been realized that something must be done to obtain proper shelter for them. The matter; the officer commanding asserts, is receiving attention, and before many days those with quarters of the character named, most of which are on Macaulay Plains, will be provided with timber buildings of a sufficiently substantial character to make them comfortable under the prevailing conditions.

Recruiting continues briskly, both in connection with the 88th Fusiliers and the 50th Highlanders. Men are being taken on for active service in batches of from ten to fifteen a day. The chief difficulty is with respect to uniforms. Neither of the two infantry corps have enough khaki regulation equipment to provide the newcomers. For this reason the information that the Militia Department has been notified of the local requirements and that a new supply may be looked for in the near future has been received with every evidence of gratification by both officers and men.

Mr. J. Cross, a member of No. 2 company, 88th Fusiliers, writing to his father, Mr. G. H. Cross, in this city, from Valcartier, states that out of a total strength of 280 members of the 88th Fusiliers who were subjected to a final examination preparatory to leaving for the seat of war, only eight were rejected. Mr. Cross says that all the citizen soldiers at Valcartier are enjoying splendid health and are impatient to arrive at the front.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mrs. Peter Wilson left last night on the SS. President for Los Angeles.

Henry Vandervegt, of Sumner, Washington, and Minnie Lawrence, of Puyallup, Washington, were married on Thursday, the 17th instant, by the Rev. J. Philp, B. D., at the Metropolitan Methodist parsonage.

On Thursday afternoon, at Breadalbane, the Rev. Dr. Campbell celebrated the marriage of Mr. George Clayton Felton and Miss Margaret Thomas, both of Victoria. The bride looked handsome in a traveling gown of dark cloth.

The Ivy Leaf Social Club held its third drive on Thursday night in K. of P. Hall. There was a splendid turnout of members. During the interval a number of new members were enrolled. At the finish of a successful drive, Mrs. Webb presented the prizes to the following: Mrs. Gray, first lady; Miss Coupland, second lady; Mrs. Ward, lady's consolation; Mr. W. E. Ferriday, first gentleman; Mr. Fletcher, second gentleman; Mr. W. Clare, gentleman's consolation. Mr. G. Wood acted as M. C. Next week's drive will be held in the K. of P. Hall, North Park Street, Thursday, September 24, commencing 8 p.m.

The numerous friends on Vancouver Island of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kiddie will probably be interested in the following news recently received by a resident of Victoria from Mr. Kiddie, who wrote: "Mrs. Kiddie's health is somewhat better, but there is no improvement in her sight, which is still very dim. She has occasional nervous attacks, which put her back considerably. For myself, I am well, and busy all the time. I am continuing to give attention to the distillate burner for motor cars and am getting it simplified and cheapened; it is doing excellent work and is on trial in several places, where it is giving a good account of itself. On August 15 I received a telegram from my elder son John, who lives at Morenci, Arizona; he gave me the news that a son had arrived in his home, and that mother and boy were both doing well. Now I am being called 'Grandpa,' which is new to me."

COMING EVENTS

Rummage Sale—The Ladies' Adult Bible Class of Centennial Methodist Church will hold a rummage sale on Wednesday, September 23, in the Scott Building, near Hillside.

Victoria Chess Club—A meeting of the Victoria Chess Club will be held at the office of J. T. L. Meyer, Room 10, 634 View Street, on Saturday, September 26, at 8 p.m., to discuss the question of re-opening the club for the coming Winter. The attendance is requested of all members, as well as of any lovers of the game who would like to join.

Vessels Are Interned

RIO JANEIRO, Sept. 18.—The Brazilian Government has decided that the merchantmen of the belligerent nations which entered Brazilian ports because of the war must be detained until the conflict is over.

Exciting Duel in Air

PARIS, Sept. 18.—The newspapers today tell the story of an air duel between a French and German aviator at an unnamed place during a battle. After long manoeuvring, the Frenchman succeeded in ascending above the German. Both men used revolvers. The German was wounded and his machine turned over and fell among British troops. He was dead when picked up.

To Cure Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness and head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can be successfully treated at home by an internal medicine that in many instances has effected a complete cure after all else has failed. Sufferers who could scarcely hear a watch tick have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear.

Therefore, if you know someone who is troubled with head noises or catarrh, or catarrhal deafness, cut out this formula and hand to them, and you will have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home and is made as follows:

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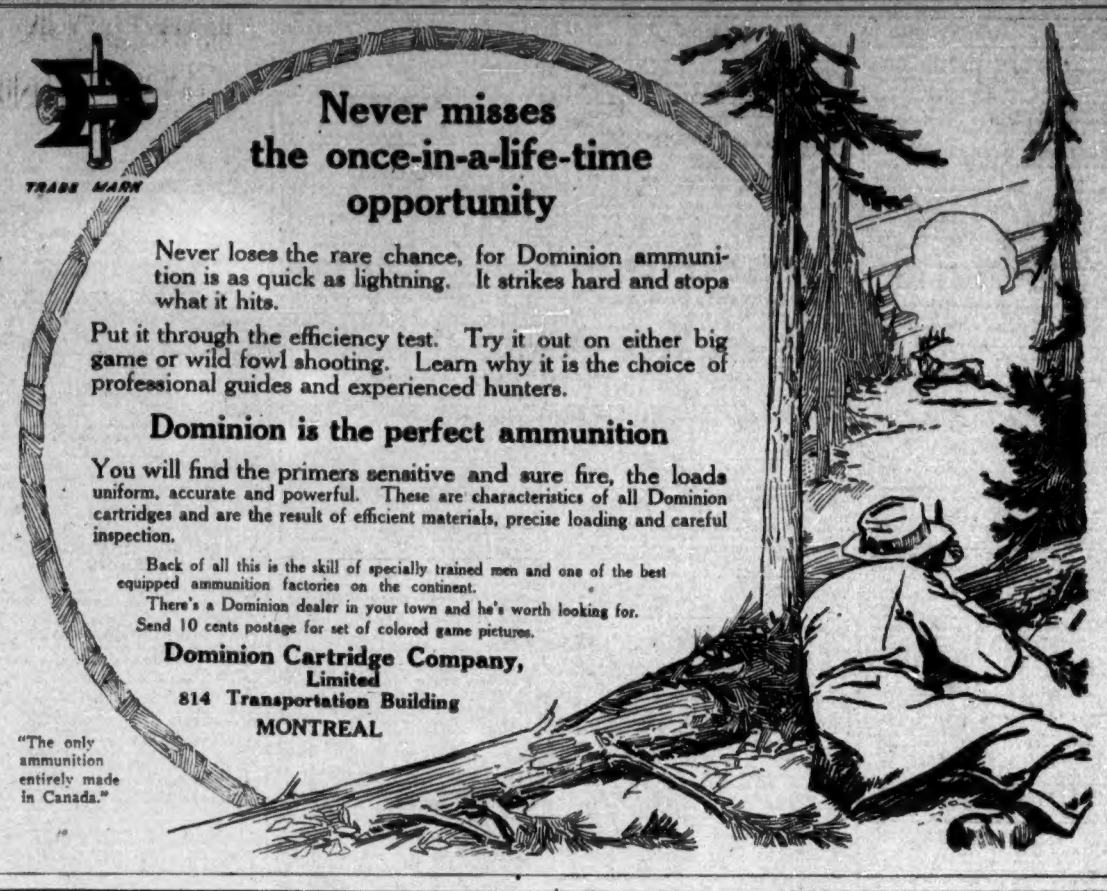

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Dec.	70⅝	71⅝	70⅛	71⅝
May	72⅝	73⅝	72½	73½
Oats—				
Sept.	47	47¼	46⅝	46⅝
Dec.	49⅝	50⅛	48⅝	49⅝
May	52⅝	53⅛	51⅝	52⅛
Pork—				
Jan.	20.40	20.67	20.42	20.67
Lard—				
Oct.	9.42	9.52	9.42	9.52
Jan.	9.97	10.07	9.97	10.07
Short Ribs—				
Oct.	.....	.....	.....	10.92
Jan.	10.67	10.75	10.62	10.75

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE

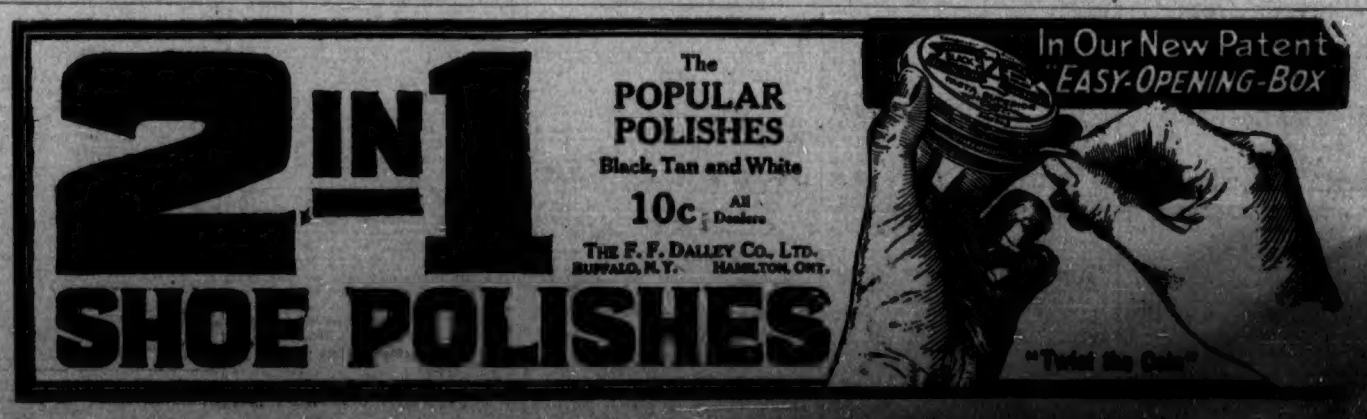
Listed Stocks—	Bid.	Asked
Blackbird Syndicate	$10.00	$30.00
B. C. Refining Co.	.35	...
B. C. Copper Co.	...	1.50
Crow's Nest Coal	35.00	...
C. N. P. Fisheries	...	.75
Coronation Gold	.02	.10
Lucky Jim Zinc	.02	.05
McGillivray Coal	.10	.20
Nugget Gold	...	.20
Rambler Cariboo	...	.25
Snowstorm	...	.30
Stewart, M. & D.	...	1.00
Slocan Star	.25	...
Stewart Land	...	7.50
Unlisted Stocks—		
American Marconi	...	.04
Canadian Marconi	...	.03
Island Investment	...	25.00
Glacier Creek	.04½	.05½
Union Club (Deb.)	...	35.00
Western Can. F. Mills	...	150.00

Sales: Portland Canal—1,500, 3⅝; 1,000, 3⅝; 1,000, 3⅝; 1,000, 3⅝; 1,000, 3⅝; 1,000, .04; 1,000, .04; 1,000, .06.

CALGARY OIL

(Furnished by F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Stocks—	Bid	Asked
Alberta Assoc.	...	$2.50
Alberta Petroleum	...	.10
American Canadian	...	.09
Athabasca	.40	1.00
Calgary Petroleum	25.00	50.00
Monarch Oil	1.50	...
Prudential	.30	.50
Trenton	...	.10



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CHIMNEY Sweep—Lloyd, phone 2158L1. fourteen years' experience in Victoria.

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DRAYMEN—Joseph Heaney, office at 1219 Wharf St. Phone 171.

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WINDOW Cleaning — Don't forget to phone 1705, James Bay Window Cleaning Co.

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ARCHITECT—E. Elwood Watkins, Rooms 1 and 2 Green Block, corner Trounce Ave. and Broad. Phone 2183; residence phone, 1398L.

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CIVIL Engineers—Clarence Hoard, Member Can. Soc. C.E., Member Am. Ry. Engr. Association, Steam, electric, logging, railways, engineer and contractor. Office, 491 Pemberton Bldg; phone 984. Res., Empress Hotel; phone 1696.

CIVIL Engineer—George A. Smith, British Columbia land surveyor. Office at Alberni, B.C.

DENTIST—W. F. Fraser, D.M.D. Office 301-302 Stobbart-Pease Blk. Office hours: 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

ELECTROLYSIS—Fourteen years' practical experience in removing superfluous hairs. Mrs. Barker, 512 Fort St.

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RANNOCH Lodge, 733 Nicola St., Vancouver, B.C. A quiet old country hostelry providing only the best; beautifully situated; five minutes from post office and Stanley Park; large veranda and balcony facing everlooking garden. Phone Sey. 7406L.

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WANTED—A few young men and girls to join a private class one evening a week. Box 1066, Colonist.

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OSCAR Goldschmidt—Vocal culture and pianoforte; $2.50 month up; 746 Yates Street. Phone 3896.

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AMAZING profits growing mushrooms with Lion Brand Spawn. $2.50 starts you; free booklet. International Mushroom Co., Empire Bldg., Vancouver, B. C.

HIGH-School graduate to work in dental office. 1204 Government St.

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EXPERIENCED dressmaker wanted; also apprentices. Apply Emmeline, 320 Cook St.

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A 6 first-class butler, English, 5 years, excellent character, age 39, height 6 ft. B. M., 2092 Crescent Rd., Victoria, B. C. Tel. 5265R2.

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A STRONG Scotch girl as general or housemaid, good appearance, $15; cook-general, $20; sales lady or caretaker, small salary, housekeeper or nurse to young infant, great experience with invalids; waitresses, chambermaids and young girls, daily or otherwise, small salaries. The Ladies' Agency, 426 Bayward Building. Phone 2466.

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ENGLISH girl seeks position as home help; good home preferred to large salary. Address "B.," c/o Janitor, Belleoue Court, Oak Bay.

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MRS. Turner requires positions for experienced maids. 1012 View St.

NURSE would care for invalid, help with household duties. Box 1440, Colonist.

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STENOGRAPHER desires position, city experience. Phone Gibson 3616L or 4490.

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TRAINED nurse requires post, thoroughly domesticated; good needlewoman and housekeeper; excellent references. Box 1922, Colonist.

WANTED, by Girton graduate, position as governess; languages, music; willing to assist with light housework; salary moderate. Box 1841, Colonist.

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WILL make over clothes for children. Box 25, Thetford.

WANTED—Work in store or house, 3 days week, by reliable person. W., 725 Vancouver Street.

WORK wanted by a reliable person, would take charge of invalid or cooking, or general housework. Apply 872 Fort Street.

YOUNG girl requires position as mother's help. Address Box 38, Beaumont P. O., Esquimalt.

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A WILLOWS Beach bargain, Dunlevy St., facing the water, two choice lots, 88x115 each, $1,000 each. This is pretty close buying. National Realty Co., 1322 Government St.

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BRENTWOOD, close to hotel—For sale, large corner lot at half market value; terms to suit. Apply, in first instance, The Alliance Securities Company, Limited, 307 Pemberton Building, Victoria, B. C. Phone 3206.

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A 120-ACRE property, some improvements, adjoins main road and railway, a beautiful homesite, some good alder bottom, some fine timber and ever-running stream of water; some portion a little rocky, which is more or less grassy slopes, fine for sheep; inside 10-mile circle; price $10,500. Owner would take Prairie farm in part trade; balance long-term payment. A. Cosh, Happy Valley, Victoria, B. C.

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A DANDY little portable house for sale; can be taken apart and moved on your lot very easily. Get next door save room rent. 1329 Carnsew St., off Moss.

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AT 1192 Fort St.—Nice housekeeping rooms.

APPLY to our Renting Department for housekeeping rooms, flats and suites, furnished and unfurnished houses, all prices, all locations, recommended on personal knowledge. Information free. Apply at The Ladies' Agency, 426 Bayward Bldg. Phone 2466.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS (Continued)

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TO Let—Two unfurnished housekeeping rooms, hot water and bath, $5 month. 2026 Chaucer Street, Oak Bay District.

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SINGLE housekeeping room, central, steam heated preferred; price and particulars. Box 1854, Colonist.

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BEDROOM, furnished or unfurnished, in exchange or part exchange for sewing. Box 1942, Colonist.

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AUTOMOBILES for Sale—1913 Hudson 5-passenger, like new, $1,550; 1912 Cadillac, $1,250; 2-passenger Ford, $300; 5-passenger Ford, $225; 1,000-lb., solid-tired truck, $500. Cameron, behind Parliament Buildings.

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A SPLENDID double-door safe, with four-way combination lock, for sale at a sacrifice. Address P. O. Box 454.

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CHEAP—A splendid .303 Savage sporting rifle, with case and cleaner; a bargain at $22.50; large enough for largest game. Box 1881, Colonist.

CYCLISTS—Are you getting fair value for your money? If not, next time you need anything, accessories or repairs, try Godfree, the bicycle specialist, 802 Yates.

CABIN cruiser snap, 26 ft. x 6 ft., 7½ h.p. 4-cycle engine; an absolute bargain for only $225. Eighteen-foot launch, 3 h.p., 4-cycle Regal engine, fine condition; only $175. Rowboats and canoes, all prices, new and second-hand, from $20 up. Causeway Boathouse, below P. O. Tel. 2445.

FOR Sale—Pup seal coat, size 42, 36 in. long, worn two seasons; reasonable. Address Box 1866, Colonist.

FOR Sale—Tudhope touring car, 1912; good looking, in good running order; no sensible offer refused. Box 1740, Colonist.

FOR Sale—No. 7 Albion stove in good condition, 1749 Lillian Road, Foul Bay. Phone 4132L. House to rent, 7 rooms, furnace.

FOR Sale, very cheap, furniture of five rooms. Apply 636 Princess Ave.

FORD car in splendid order; $225. 787 Fort Street.

FORD touring car, late model, fine condition, looks like new, for sale cheap; terms. Box 1857, Colonist.

FOR Sale at a snap—Ford roadster, not a scratch on it; will demonstrate any time and place; will consider terms. Box 1858, Colonist.

FURNITURE—Useful second-hand furniture. I buy or sell for spot cash. Amazing bargains on offer this week. Call on Pearson, 1793 Blanshard St., corner Niagara.

FOR Sale—Parker hammerless shotgun, $42.50; one $35; one Ithaca hammerless, $21.50, all new. 1010 Broad St.

FOR Sale—1914 6-cylinder Lozier, used for demonstration purpose only, exceptional opportunity. Phone 4632. Motor Agents, Ltd., 1111 Meare St.

FIVE-Passenger Ford, $225 cash. R. Kimmerli, 723½ Fort Street.

FOR Sale—Four two-wheel delivery carts with harness. Apply 1117 Fort St.

HAMMERLESS shot gun, 12-bore choke, English; $22.50. O. Whitehead, Gordon Head P. O.

HEATERS! Heaters! From $1.25 up. Stove pipe 5c; stoves exchanged for old ones. 50 per cent saved. Eastern Stove Co., Fort St., near Quadra.

LADIES' and gents' cycles for sale; $15 each. 613 Catherine St.

MALLEABLE steel ranges, $1 down and $1 per week. 1091 Government Street.

NEW auto sparker, also dynamo and storage battery, suit boat or car, cheap. 1166 Fort.

RED X Toilet, perfect condition, sanitary and odorless, cheap, exchange possible. Box 87, Maywood.

SPENCER Diamond range with side boiler; nearly new. A. Walker, Fulham Rd., Gordon Head.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

SOME good agreements of sale, very well secured on city property, bearing good rates of interest, for sale. Apply The Alliance Securities Company, Limited, 307 Pemberton Building, Victoria, B.C.; phone 3206.

SECOND-HAND safe in good condition; will sell very reasonable. Box 1576, Colonist.

TO Be Sold—One large new tent, fly and new flooring. 1314 Mitchell St., Oak Bay.

THE first-class cruising yacht "Davy Jones," fully equipped and in first-class shape; cheap. For further particulars apply Evans B. Deane, Room 612, 402 Pender Street West, Vancouver, B. C.

3 H. P. Lozier engine, in first-class order, with all fittings, for 20-foot launch, including shafting, propeller, canvas boat cover, etc., for $40 cash. Would consider shotgun in part payment. Wardrop, Tod Inlet.

MISCELLANEOUS

LAWN mowers sharpened, collected, delivered, $1. Walter Dandridge. Phone 652.

SWEDISH movement and massage, vapor or hot air bath. Lady operator. Telephone 5287L; hours 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. 921 Fort Street; room 5.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

MARRIED couple want to take care of house in lieu of rent; references. Box 1919, Colonist.

SHOTGUN wanted, No. 12 bore, good make; cheap for cash. Particulars, P. O. Box 1087, city.

WANTED—Will pay cash for 12-bore, hammerless shotgun of good make. Cameron, 531 Superior St.

WANTED—Boy's wheel. Apply 2182 Florence St., Willows. Phone 3647L2.

WANTED to Purchase—Whole or part contents of furnished house, for spot cash. Box 1705, Colonist.

WANTED—An English baby buggy, large size, white or cream, in good condition. Phone 1872L.

WANTED—Person or persons to provide an Xmas entertainment suitable for a Sunday-school. Address, giving cost and particulars, Box 1936, Colonist.

WANTED—Single bedstead, brass or steel; must be cheap. Apply Box A., B., Colonist.

WANTED—Three h.p. gasoline engine, root pulper, chaff cutter and grain grinder. Apply Jones & Rant, Ltd., 642 Cormorant St.

WANTED—Second-hand barber or massage chair for $5 or less. Phone 3752.

WANTED—Five-passenger car or taxi; must be in good order and cheap for cash. Fullest particulars. Box 1956, Colonist.

WANTED—Gentleman's cycle, frame 25 or 26 inch, in fair condition, 3-speed preferred; must be very cheap. Stedham, 1020 Ross Street.

FLATS OR APARTMENTS

A NICE apartment to share with right party. Phone 4882.

APARTMENT, furnished, 3 rooms, light, heat, in double bungalow, 155 Robertson St.

ALL new and beautifully clean furnished suites; low rates. Normandie Apartments. Phone 1789L.

ALANDALE Apartments, corner Linden and Hilda; absolutely first-class; rents very moderate; garage accommodation; phone 2618. H. E. Maddock, 8 Winch Building.

AT October Mansions, corner Fort and Cook St.—Three and four-roomed suite to let; rents moderate.

AT Hampton Court, corner of Cook and Leonard St.—One 3-roomed, one 4-roomed suite to rent.

A NICE sunny suite, furnished or unfurnished; all modern conveniences. Morrison Apartments, corner Hilda and Chester; phone 4968R.

AT Mount Edwards, Vancouver St., new, furnished and unfurnished suites, large rooms; hot water heating, etc; reduced rents.

CENTRAL Park Apartments, corner of Queen's and Vancouver, three-room suite for rent.

FLAT to rent, 3 rooms and bathroom, private entrance; $12 month; key at 568 Gorge Road.

FOR rent, furnished, 1251 Pandora Ave., nice clean 2-room apartment, opposite new high school, $20 per month. Phone 4703L.

FURNISHED suite in Southgate Apartments. Apply Victoria Plumbing Co., 652 Pandora St. Phone 3775L.

GLENGARRY—810 Cook Street, furnished and unfurnished suites. Large rooms and best arranged suites in the city. Phones 5198 or 5237L.

IN suites of two or three rooms, furnished, hot water heating, newly decorated; prices shot to pieces. 1914 Douglas.

MOUNT Douglas Apts., Oak Bay Junction. Thoroughly modern brick building, well arranged suites, healthy location with excellent car service. Terms reasonable. Phone 3425R.

NEATLY furnished apartment, light and heat, $20 per month. 1176 Yates St.

TO Rent—Modern three room, unfurnished; lower flat; light and water; $12. 1417 Taunton Street.

TREBARTHA Apartments, 1044 View St.—Several vacancies; reduced rents. Apply Suite 6, or phone 2411L.

THREE-ROOMED suite, close in. Phone 1069L.

TWO 4-roomed suites on carline; $15 per month; one 3 rooms, $10. Apply P. R. Fleming, 850 View St. Phone 2307.

TO Rent, on Douglas Street car line, two beautiful new four-room apartments, large rooms and closets, private halls, fireplace in sitting-room; built-in sideboard in dining-room, cupboards in kitchen; private laundry for each flat in basement. Rent $17 and $20 per month. Robert Russell, 228a Pemberton Bldg.

THREE-ROOM apartments, furnished or unfurnished, at greatly reduced rent. Owen Apartments, 421 Vancouver St.

WANT TO EXCHANGE

AUTOMOBILE to trade for agreement of sale; car is practically new. Room 10, Mahon Building. Phone 4946.

A 25-acre ranch in a famous fruit valley in British Columbia; good house, barns and out buildings; all fenced; good water, etc.; transportation at your door. My client will consider trade. See me today. A. Mahon Block.

CLEAR title property for automobile. Box 1928, Colonist.

CLEAR title lot, close in, for 6-room house; 10 minutes from post office. Apply Campbell Bros., 1007 Government St.

EXCHANGE—(1) New 5-roomed house, choice location, close in; good value at $10,500; to trade for acreage or lots. (2) Revenue-producing property, $8,400, with mortgage $2,000 and clear title vacant corner, $2,100, to trade for Island farm; will assume. (3) Modern 4-roomed bungalow, $3,000, with mortgage $1,100, to trade for small chicken ranch; will assume. (4) Good home in Fairfield and clear title lot to exchange for good Ontario farm; will assume. Wm. Dunford & Son, Ltd., 912 Union Bank.

EXCHANGE—Small grocery business, stock $500 to $600, for clear title lot. Victoria West or Gorge preferred. Jenkinson Bros., 1420 Government Street. Phone 4419.

EXCHANGE—2 acres, 500 fruit trees, Kootenay district, good locality, $2,700; will trade for small cottage or vacant lots. Wm. Dunford & Son, Ltd., 912 Union Bank.

EXCHANGE—Good improved farm, Metchosin district, 25 acres, $19,500; will accept clear title property up to $6,000 as part payment. Wm. Dunford & Son, Ltd., 912 Union Bank.

EXCHANGE—Two new stores and apartments for close-in acreage. Box 1807, Colonist.

FIVE-PASSENGER 40 h.p. touring car, in perfect order; just overhauled and painted, for Ford (4x) or roadster. Box 1946, Colonist.

I HAVE a 1913 Cadillac car in first-class condition, in exchange for cows, heifers or sheep. Box G. L., Colonist.

INSIDE property to exchange for gravel from 20 paying acres. Drake Realty Co., mortgage specialists, 816-818 Hibben-Bone Bldg.

IF you want to exchange a house for a lot or acreage, or acreage for a modern house, see F. J. Hart & Co., Ltd., phone 121, 1107 Government St. We have a list of actual buyers waiting our inspection. Call today.

WANT TO EXCHANGE (Continued)

I HAVE a fully modern 7-room house, situated at Kitsilano, Vancouver, to exchange, equity of $1,700, for small improved acreage; the balance is mortgage. Address J. E., P. O. Box 1559, Victoria, B. C.

NEW 5-roomed house, beautiful view, good neighborhood, small incumbrance; to apply as part payment on a 40 or more acre tract of land in Duncan or Cowichan districts. Client would like small portion of same to be cleared. For further particulars apply to F. J. Hart & Co., Ltd., 1204 Government St. (upstairs). Phone 391.

OWING to sickness I must leave this climate at once, and will exchange for revenue-producing property 300 acres on Denman Island, beautiful water frontage. Price, $40 per acre. Will assume a small mortgage. Give particulars first reply. Box 1324, Colonist.

SIX-Room house in Oak Bay, fully modern, with all conveniences; trade for Prairie acreage or clear title lots. Box 1789, Colonist.

TO Exchange—Clear title Edison lot for shotgun, rifle and sporting goods to the value of $35. Address Box 1977, Colonist.

TO Trade—Port Alberni city lots for 5 or 10 acres with small house and some improvements; must be near school. Reply to Box 16, Jubilee Station, Burnaby, B. C.

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BUSINESS CHANCES

A CHICKEN ranch, 5½ acres, nearly all cleared, new 5-room house, chicken houses, brooder, 250 hens, horse and buggy, near post office, store, school, station. 1911 Government Street.

A BOARDING house, centrally located, showing large profits, low rent. Phone 2469.

A NICELY equipped restaurant, large patronage, best location in city; sacrifice, $900, low rent. 1911 Government.

A SPLENDID opportunity of buying going concerns at bargain prices. Bee Cross Agency, 1911 Government.

BUTCHER business known as "Pork Shop," Blanshard Street, for sale. All fixtures and fittings at low cost; horse and rig; excellent turnover and good clientele can be acquired by immediate purchaser. Apply Manager Dominion Bank, Fernwood Branch, city.

FOR sale, a medical practice in a good residential district in Vancouver Island, suitable for a well qualified man. Apply, X. Y., 328 Menzies Street, Victoria.

FOR Sale—Cigar and news-stand, established about 3 years; reason for selling, "other business." Box 1872, Colonist.

GENERAL merchandise and freighting business for sale, in a growing district, only store in the district, post office and mail contract, in good mining and farming locality; will sell both businesses or each separately; this is a bargain. For further particulars write to Box 442 Beaton, B. C.

MERCHANTS' and storekeepers' books written up; accounts rendered and balances drawn up by competent office man. Box 1832, Colonist.

MINING—Holder of good placer ground will give large interest for capital to develop same. P. O. Box 509, Victoria.

WANTED—Active, reliable man as local agent; new steering device for Ford automobiles; guaranteed; sells fast; good money for right man. Ford Equalizer Co., 525 Burrard St., Vancouver.

WANTED—Party with a little money for gilt-edge proposition; no speculation. Call, from 2 to 6 p.m., 303 Stobart-Pease Block.

WELL-EQUIPPED automobile garage and repair shop, low rent, good location; suit two good mechanics with cash to handle. Apply Box No. 15, Colonist.

LOST AND FOUND

A SMALL sum of money lost in small purse (Tuesday last). Finder, please leave at Colonist Office.

LOST, on Friday afternoon, on Government St. or Esquimalt car, purple purse, containing small sum of money. Finder, please phone 2327.

LOST—A gold watch, between Burdett Ave. and Fairfield Rd. Reward. Return to H. Karl, c/o Fletcher Bros.

LOST—A bunch black algrettes, on Government, Blanshard or Yates Sts. Reward. South African Plume Shop, 753 Yates Street.

LOST or Strayed—A black curly dog, white chest; anyone found harboring same after this date will be prosecuted. Please return to 1053 Finlayson Ave.

LOST—Reliable Messenger Delivery book. Finder, please return to 309 Burdett Ave., or phone 2420.

LOST—Elgin watch and fob on May St., between Linden and Joseph. Finder, please return to 1189 May and receive reward.

LOST, between Rockland Ave. and Empress Hotel, a blue enamel brooch with emeralds, rubies and diamonds. Finder will be rewarded by returning to 1745 Rockland Ave.

LOST—Lady's fur necket, Oak Bay or Willows car, on Aug. 24. Reward. Phone 594.

LOST—Small pocketbook containing about $4, near P. Burns' store, near post office, or on Courtney Street. Finder please return X. Y. Z., Colonist.

LOST at Union Bay, on 5th inst. liver and white English setter, named Bob. Reward to finder. Phone 827.

LOST—Friday evening, Mexican gold coin watch charm. Finder return 794 Hillside Ave. Tel. 2234; reward.

LOST—Small gold half Hunter watch, on train from Sidney or in town. Please return Colonist; reward.

LOST—A collie pup, lost yesterday. Phone 295; reward.

TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS

BOARD of Trade Building — Suite of front offices to let, vault. Apply secretary.

CHICKEN ranch, 4½ acres, fully equipped; 5-roomed house, furnished or unfurnished, at Mount Newton. Apply Tillard, R. M. D. No. 1, Turgoose, B. C.

DESK room for rent, including stenographer, use of typewriter and phone; front office. Apply between 9 and 10 a.m. or 5 and 6 p.m. at 24 Winch Bldg.

FOR Rent—Good chicken ranch. Newcomb, Saanich Rd., Swan Lake.

FOR Rent—Stable, 1112 North Park Street.

TO Rent—Desk room in the best office building in city; centrally located. Address P. O. Box 273.

TO Rent—Farm, suitable for mixed farming; splendid water supply and close to station, post office, etc. Address Box 114, Chemainus.

WANTED TO RENT—MISCEL.

WANTED to Lease—Chicken ranch, near city; state particulars and price. Apply Box 788, Colonist.

WANTED to Rent—Thirty to sixty acres of land suitable for dairying, in the district of Esquimalt or anywhere within a few miles of Victoria; with four or five-roomed house, barn and other buildings. Box 4491, Colonist.

AGENTS WANTED

ATTENTION—We will pay $1,000 reward if our home butter merger fails to merge one pint of milk into one pound of butter in two minutes, sweeter than creamery butter. Demonstrators and general agents wanted. Salary or commission. Write for illustrated circulars and addresses of 1,000 users. Wonderful invention. Family Butter Merger Co., Washington, D. C.

AGENTS start at once. Big profits handling our household specialty. Send for free booklet. The Franklin Specialty Co., 3464-66 Main St., Vancouver, B. C.

AGENTS for high-grade specialty; demonstration invariably results in sale. Write for free booklet on salesmanship. The Cardero Supply Co., 843 Cardero St., Vancouver, B. C.

THE British Columbia Nurseries Co., Ltd., wish to get in touch with a pushing, reliable business man who would represent them in the sale of their superior grade of nursery stock on Vancouver Island, consisting of a full line of fruit trees, shrubs, roses and ornamental trees, all grown under ideal conditions by experts. We are offering several leading specialties not handled by any other firm in the business. Liberal terms will be offered to a suitable party who can show us a record for honesty and industry. For fuller particulars write at once to B. C. Nurseries Co., Ltd., 1493 Seventh Ave. W., Vancouver, B. C.

U. S. Government uses Richmond chemical extinguishers that kill gasoline fires; auto and factory sizes. District managers make 500 per cent profit. Auto free. Richmond Chemical Co., Desk 809, Wheeling, W. Va.

PERSONAL

HUNTERS, fishermen, pleasure parties. The subscriber has a fine hunting cabin launch. Would like to get in touch with parties wishing to take a cruise by the day, week or month. Address Launch, 820 Pandora Ave.

HAVING voluntarily severed my connection with A. E. Mathews, doing business under the name of the Export Lumber & Timber Co., I will no longer be responsible for any obligations contracted by said A. E. Mathews or Company. Signed, E. E. Workman.

TAKE notice that on or after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Myrtle Viola Tubbs. (Signed) F. Tubbs.

MONEY TO LOAN

FUNDS for advances on mortgage and for discounting good agreements of sale. Apply The Alliance Securities Company, Limited, 307 Pemberton Building, Victoria, B. C.; phone 3286.

MONEY to loan, $14,000 at 7 per cent; must be improved property. Daisy & Lawson, 618 Fort Street.

$2,000 at 8 per cent on improved property. F. J. C. Dougall, 101 Hibben-Bone Building.

Advertise in THE COLONIST

WANTED TO BORROW

ADVERTISER wants to borrow on waterfront acreage for one year $2,000; worth $16,000; will pay good interest. Box 1936, Colonist.

LOAN wanted, $2,400, on Esquimalt property. Box 1866, Colonist.

CROFT & ASHBY

Real Estate, Timber, Mines and Coal Lands
Phone 2999. 676 View St., P. O. Box 570.

FARMS! FARMS! FARMS! FARMS!
CATTLE RANCHES! CATTLE RANCHES!
TIMBER LANDS! TIMBER LANDS!

CHEAPEST buy in B. C.—472 acres, good land, many open meadows, on lake and stream, finest shooting and fishing, splendid ranch for horses or cattle, plenty of range for stock adjacent; will be near the Bute Inlet Railway from Vancouver Island; can now drive to near ranch. Price for quick sale, only $7 per acre; land surveyed, first payment easy, balance over 3 years.

WANTED—City property to exchange for Northwest farms.

TWO lakes near Victoria for sale; property fenced and stocked with several varieties of trout, also Eastern salmon.

FINEST farm on V. I.—630 acres, 75 cultivated and 150 in grass; near rail and sea; will take property in exchange for part of purchase price.

TIMBER—Fifty billion feet for sale, in quantity to suit, in B. C., Oregon and Washington.

NORTHWEST Farms—We have several to exchange for Victoria property.

CRADDOCK & CO.

Investment and Insurance Agents
Farm Land Specialists.
Jones Building Victoria, B. C.
Phone 3369.

FARMS! farms! farms! Courtenay District, Vancouver Island. Direct railway from Victoria.

OUR listings comprise ready-made farms and not virgin forest or mountainous districts. Good soil, climate, markets, etc. Prices from $50 per acre.

MR. CRADDOCK, late secretary and statistican Department of Agriculture, Alberta and British Columbia, attends to all land sales.

QUALICUM INN

(Two minutes walk from Qualicum Station)
QUALICUM BEACH, Vancouver Island

BEAUTIFULLY situated modern 32-room seaside hotel; excellent salmon and trout fishing; good bathing; moderate rates. For particulars apply the manager.

FOR SALE

Farm of 160 acres; team of horses and wagon. House, and 2½ acres cleared. **$800** cash, or would consider exchange for paying business.

A. TOLLER
604 Yates St. Room 10, Top Flat

NOTICE

REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES.

The office of the Deputy Registrar of Births, Deaths and Marriages has been removed to the basement of the new West Wing of the Parliament Buildings, Room 1, entrance from Menzies Street.

E. E. YOUNG,
Provincial Secretary.

June 27, 1914.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, dated 17th June, 1913, and of the powers contained in the Mortgages Statutory Form Act, the undersigned is instructed by the Mortgagee to offer for sale the South 40 feet of Lot 41, Block 3, part of Section 74, Victoria City, Map 252 (the premises being known as 1072 Davie Street), and in accordance with said instructions, tenders for the purchase of the abovementioned property will be received by the undersigned up to the 27th day of September, 1914.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to

C. F. DAVIE,
Of Room 203 Pemberton Building, Fort Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitor for the Mortgagee.

WATER ACT, 1914

BEFORE THE BOARD OF INVESTIGATION.

In the matter of all streams in the North Saanich, South Saanich, Highland, Lake, Victoria, Esquimalt, Goldstream, Metchosin, Sooke, Otter and Renfrew Land Districts, and in the matter of all streams in the Malahat Land District which drain into Juan de Fuca Strait or into Finlayson Arm of Saanich Inlet.

A meeting of the Board of Investigation will be held at the office of the Board, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, on the 25th day of August, 1914, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, when all claims to water rights or privileges on the said streams which have been filed, all objections thereto, and the plans prepared for the use of the Board will be open for inspection.

All persons interested are entitled to examine these, and to file objections thereto in writing if they deem fit.

At the meeting claimants who have not previously done so shall prove their title to the lands to which their water records are appurtenant. This may be done by producing, in case of Crown-granted lands, the title deeds or a certificate of encumbrance or in the case of lands not held under Crown grant, by producing the pre-emption record, the agreement of sale, the mining record, or other documents of title.

Objections will be heard forthwith if the party objected to has received sufficient notice of the objection.

The Board at the said meeting will determine the quantity of water which may be used under each record, the further works which are necessary for such use, and will set dates for the filing of plans of such work and for the commencement and completion of such works.

And whereas there may be persons who, before the 12th day of March, 1909, were entitled to water rights on any of the said streams and yet have not filed statements of their claims with the Board of Investigation, such persons are required to file on or before the 17th day of August, 1914, at Victoria, before the hour set for the meeting, a statement as required by Section 294 of the "Water Act, 1914." Forms (No. 40 for irrigation, and No. 81 for other purposes), may be obtained from any Government Agent in the Province.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., the 11th day of July, 1914.

For the Board of Investigation,
J. F. ARMSTRONG,
Chairman.

The water rights maps and the tabulation of records will be open for inspection at the office of the Board at Victoria on and after the 17th day of August, 1914.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

IN THE GOODS OF CATHERINE BALFOUR MACDONALD, DECEASED

TAKE NOTICE that Probate of the Will of Catherine Balfour Macdonald, late of Armadale, Victoria, British Columbia, and who died on the 22nd day of April, 1914, has been issued to the Honorable William John Macdonald, sole executor.

ALL persons having claims against the estate are requested to send full particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of October, 1914, after which date the executor will proceed with the distribution of the estate, having regard only to such claims of which he shall have then received notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 24th day of Aug st, 1914.

CREASE & CREASE,
Solicitors for the said Executor.

Ford & Greenwood
AUCTIONEERS

Instructed, We Will Sell at Our Salesroom, 716 Johnson Street,

Today, 2 p.m.

Household Furniture and Effects

Beds, Dressers and Stands, Oak Table, Lounges, Extension Table, Hall Racks, lot of Blankets and Quilts, Bicycles, also a lot of Figs and Dates.

Stockyards: Seventy-five Brown Leghorn Hens, one-year-old Rocks and Wyandottes.

FORD & GREENWOOD
AUCTIONEERS

G. FERRIS

NEW AND SECOND-HAND FURNITURE

Large stock of good-class Furniture, including Old English Furniture, Oak and Mahogany Sets, Davenports, Oak Office Desks, Gas Ranges, Crockery, Etc., at lowest prices obtainable. Sheet Glass, Cement Building Blocks.

Best Prices Given for Ranges, Cook Stoves, Heaters and Good-Class Furniture

830 Yates Street Phone 1879

John Bartholomew
AUCTIONEER

NOTICE—We keep on selling all kinds of good Furniture at auction prices. Don't forget the Auction Prices, mind. Houses of good furniture purchased for cash.

THE "SELECT" AUCTION ROOMS, 1016 FORT STREET

AUCTION SALE

Under and by virtue of a Landlord's Distress Warrant, I have distrained the goods and chattels in and upon the premises of Mr. Ross' Cigar Stand, 1421 Government Street, consisting of small cash register, clock, cigar lighter, grape juice cooler, show case, a quantity of tobacco and cigarettes, and will offer the same for sale at Public Auction on the premises on Monday next, September 21, at 10:30 a.m.

Terms of sale, cash.

F. G. RICHARDS, Sheriff,
Bailiff for Landlord.

Sheriff's Office, Victoria, B. C., September, 18, 1914.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

During hours of Night, i.e., from 15 minutes after sunset to 15 minutes before sunrise, no boat is to move on the waters of Constance Cove, i.e., East of a line joining Ashe Head and Duntze Head, without special permission from the Commander in Charge, Esquimalt Dockyard.

Boats infringing this regulation are liable to be fired at without further warning.

It is pointed out to the public that, as boats having special permission are known to the Sentries, those moving without such special permission do so at a serious risk.

WALTER HOSE,
Commander in Charge, Esquimalt Dockyard.

NOTICE

IN THE MATTER of the Winding Up Act being c. 144 of the Revised Statutes of Canada and Amending Acts,
And
IN THE MATTER of the British Canadian Photo Supply Company, Limited.

FOR SALE—$15,000 worth of Photographic Supplies, either in block or in lots. Also Office Furniture and Fixtures.

For particulars apply to the liquidator,
W. J. BARRETT-LENNARD, C. A.,
303 Rogers Building, Vancouver, B. C.

TENDERS

TENDERS for the supply of 2-foot wood to the Saanich Schools will be received by the undersigned up to 30th September inst., to be delivered in five-cord lots as required. A cord to contain 128 cubic feet:

	Cords
Royal Oak	20
West Saanich	15
Strawberry Vale	20
McKenzie Avenue	20
Keating	20
Saanichton	20
North Dairy	20
Prospect	20
Cadboro Bay	15
Cedar Hill	20
Elk Lake	10
Gordon Head	20

J. R. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary of Board.

Royal Oak.

CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY, B.C.

Oak Bay Volunteer Police

NOTICE

On and after this date drill in Oak Bay Park will be discontinued.

A meeting of the force will be held on Tuesday, September 22, in the Council Chamber, Municipal Hall, Oak Bay, at 8 p.m., when explanations will be given of the duties of the force and arrangements for future training will be discussed.

It is hoped that as many as possible will be present and in particular all those who have not yet taken the oath.

F. R. L. DE SALIS,
Secretary.

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

Messrs.
Stewart Williams & Co.
Being Duly Instructed by Mrs. Ernest Kennedy, Will Sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

At Her Residence, "Hill Farm," Wilkinson Road (two minutes walk from Wilkinson Station, B. C. Electric Ry.),

ON

Thursday, Sept. 24
AT 11 O'CLOCK

The Whole of Her Well-Kept

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS

Including: Very handsome Solid Fumed Oak Dining-Room Furniture, Jacobean, Sheraton, Victorian and other old English Furniture; Mahogany, Eucalyptus, White Enamel and other Bedroom Suites; Ostermoor Mattresses, Household Linen, Blankets, Table Linen, very fine Set of English Cut Glass Table Ware, Grandfather's Clock, "Monarch" Range, Cooking Utensils, Linoleum, Carpets, Limoges Dinner Service, Tea Set and Breakfast Set; Signed and other Engravings, a quantity of Books, including the works of Victor Hugo, Chas. Dickens, Harvard Classics, Louis Stevenson, Fox and others, bound in half-calf, Etc.; also Gelding Pony, five years old; Harness and Pony Cart, thoroughbred Jersey Cow, ten Cords of Wood, three Tons of Hay, over 100 Chickens, Garden Tools, Garden Chairs, Swing, English Dog Cart, Chaff Cutter, Incubators and Brooders, Lady's Bicycle, and other goods too numerous to mention.

Particulars later or from

The Auctioneer, Stewart Williams

A Great Opportunity

I Have the Following Stocks for Sale by Tender:

NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.

Stock and fixtures of 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c store. Stock about $2,949 at cost; fixtures and equipment about $1,000 at cost; all clean and in good condition. Tenders to be in the hands of the undersigned by Tuesday noon, September 22, 1914. Tenders to read "At prices as per inventory." The highest or any other tender not necessarily accepted.

NANAIMO, B.C.

Stock and fixtures of 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c store. Stock about $1,200; fixtures and equipment about $700; all clean and in good condition. Nanaimo is one of the most prosperous cities in British Columbia at the present time. Tenders to be in the hands of the undersigned by Tuesday noon, September 22, 1914. Tenders to read "At prices as per inventory." The highest or any other tender not necessarily accepted.

NANAIMO, B.C.

The stock and fixtures of a general hardware merchant. Stock about $3,200; fixtures about $1,000. All in first-class condition, well worth the attention of anyone looking for a good business proposition. Tenders to be in the hands of the undersigned by Tuesday noon, September 22, 1914. Tenders to read "At prices as per inventory." The highest or any other tender not necessarily accepted.

GENERAL STORE AT SAVONA, B.C.

Stock as follows—

Groceries about	$1,000
Dry Goods about	4,000
Boots and Shoes about	2,000
Drugs and Stationery about	450
Hardware, Saddlery and Crockery about	1,000
Fixtures about	2,000
Total	$10,450

This is a very fine business and worthy the attention of any business man requiring a good general store in any country district. Tenders to be in the hands of the undersigned by Tuesday noon, September 22, 1914. Tenders to read "At prices as per inventory." The highest or any other tender not necessarily accepted.

VANCOUVER, B.C.

Dry Goods, Ladies, and Children's Furnishings, also Boots and Shoes for Boys and Girls. Stock about $3,500; fixtures about $500. This stock is clean, fresh and in good condition. Tenders to be in the hands of the undersigned by 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, September 22, 1914. Tenders to read "At prices as per inventory." The highest or any other tender not necessarily accepted.

Stock sheets and full particulars of any of the foregoing businesses may be had from James Roy, Assignee, No. 222 Pacific Building, 744 Hastings St. West, Vancouver, B. C.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the matter of the estate of John Sidney Van Allen, deceased intestate, and in the matter of the Administration Act.

Notice is hereby given that under an order granted by the Honorable Mr. Justice Clement, dated the 26th day of August, 1914, I, the undersigned, was appointed administrator of the estate of the above deceased.

All persons having claims against the said estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 30th day of September, 1914, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 1st day of September A. D. 1914.

WILLIAM MONTEITH
Official Administrator

CITY OF VICTORIA

NOTICE

A meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners will be held in the Police Court, City Hall, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of September, 1914, at 2:30 p.m.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

Victoria, B. C.
City Clerk's Office, September 19, 1914.

W. RIDGWAY-WILSON
ARCHITECT

Has arranged a partnership with Mr. A. R. Hennell, Fellow of The Royal Institute of British Architects, of London, England, the business being henceforth carried on under the firm name of

W. RIDGWAY-WILSON
A. R. HENNELL, F.R.I.B.A.
ARCHITECTS
618 Pemberton Block Phone 3098

REPAIRS TO ROCK BAY BRIDGE

TENDERS will be received at the office of the undersigned until Monday, the 28th inst., at 4 p.m., for the work of piling and placing of heavy timbers in connection with repairs to Rock Bay Bridge. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the City Engineer. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., September 15, 1914.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a reserve, advice of which appeared in The B. C. Gazette on the 3rd day of May, 1894, is cancelled in so far as it relates to lots numbered 300 to 312, both inclusive, Victoria District, for the purpose of making sale of same to the owners of Lot 91, Victoria District, known as the "Uplands" Subdivision.

E. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

Lands Department, Victoria, B. C., May 27, 1914.

Saanich Ratepayers Do Your Duty

Get out to the polls today at any sacrifice and vote for every by-law!

Don't vote for one and not the other. We need them all.

Good Roads
Plenty of Water
Good Schools

Do not let any argument that can be presented against them, or any personal feeling that you may have for or against any official of this Council or the last one, interfere with your determination to do your duty and vote for these money by-laws that mean so much for the upbuilding and prosperity of Saanich.

Do not talk hard times. Our Municipality is rich and generally prosperous, and we can well afford these improvements.

REMEMBER—

The defeat of the paving by-law means a step backwards, and an actual money loss to the Municipality of $150.000.00. It means the repudiation of a contract made in good faith, which no Britisher would countenance, and it means that we must provide 2¼ mills on the dollar for upkeep of the present roads, which is a sum nearly equal to the amount necessary to provide permanent pavement. Weigh these statements carefully and look ahead a few years, and if you lay permanent roads in Saanich you will see hundreds of happy homes in every direction. A man owning a bicycle can live five or six or more miles from his employment if he has a hard surface to wheel over and the same holds good with other means of travel. If we go ahead with this present paving scheme you can rest assured that the great benefits which will be derived will so impress us that we will not stop until we have the entire Saanich Peninsula paved. From Gordon Head to the northern limits permanent roadways would develop a country unsurpassed in climate, scenery and productiveness in the whole of North America. You, who have lived long amid these surroundings, fail to realize what a tremendous beauty spot it is. Skirted on all sides by salt water and low-lying hills and beautiful homes, it forms a picture never to be forgotten. The Dominion Government realizes its value from a climatic standpoint, and has ordered the construction of the largest telescope in the world in your midst. What an honor! What an advertisement to be chosen as the one spot in Canada suitable for an instrument of this sort! Let us supplement the work of nature with a few good roads and see what a garden spot we make of it.

Do Your Duty

And your duty is to vote for all three by-laws.

FORGET THE INCONVENIENCE

If you have any means of getting to the polls take a friend or two along; or telephone me at 2470 and I might know of one.

BERT D. WHITE
Attorney in Fact for

Brentwood Beach Estate Co. Ltd.

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED

Women's Sample Fall Coats From $8.50 to $17.50—Men's and Women's Shoes at $2.85—And Lingerie Waists, Values to $4.75 for $2.90, Are Only a Few of the Special Attractions for Today

The New Fall Coats on Sale Today at $8.50 $10.00, $12.50, $13.50, $15.00 and $17.50

ARE extraordinary values in every sense of the word. They are Sample Coats that were bought at sample prices and represent exceptionally good values and extremely smart styles. Those women who have not yet bought their winter coat, and desire to secure an extra smart, serviceable garment at a very modest price, should not miss an opportunity such as this Sale affords.

These Coats come in numerous styles, including the popular Balmacaan and the New Cape effects. The materials are smart and handsome, and come in new fancy weaves, two-tone effects, golf cloth, plaids, plain colors and black; also Coats in curl cloth in various colors.

See Samples of These Coats in the View Street Windows and Make Your Selection Early.

—First Floor

Very Pretty Lingerie Waists That Should Sell Up to $4.75, Special Today at $2.90

NOT one Waist in the lot worth less than $3.75, and most are values as high as $4.75. A very special purchase brought them here to sell at this price, and all women in need of Smart Dressy Waists for afternoon and evening wear should take advantage of such an unusual offering as this. Every style is new and fashionable for present and Fall wear. They are made up in a great variety of pretty styles with fancy collars, others with the new Medici collar, while others have round low neck without collars. A few styles show fancy vest effects, others are handsomely embroidered and trimmed with Guipure, Valenciennes and other fine laces and ribbons. The materials include white voile, spotted voile, fine white crepes, also crepes in striped effects and all-over shadow lace.

Make Your Selection Early and Get Best Choice.

—First Floor

Women's Overalls and Kitchen Aprons

Are here in many styles and qualities and all are marked at our own Special Prices. For instance:

Well Made Kitchen Apron, in strong blue and white check gingham, good useful size, sells at .....25¢
Morning Aprons, in light and dark colors, also fancy stripes, trimmed with bands of plain blue. Very special at .....75¢
Overall Aprons, in light and dark prints and ginghams, variously trimmed, good wearing qualities, each $1.00
Overall Aprons, in tight fitting styles, and in all colors, special at .....75¢
Overall Aprons, made with sleeves, and others without. Various styles in prints and ginghams, each $1.25
Dutch Aprons, made from strong serviceable prints in black and white and blue and white stripes. Special value at .....50¢

—First Floor

Ladies' Brassieres Usually Sold at 75c, Special Today at 50c

A Well-Made Brassiere of fine quality batiste, made in various styles, some to hook up down the front, which for some women is a great convenience, while other styles fasten at back. A quality that's usually sold at 75c. Our Special Price today, each ...50c

A Corset Special at $1.50

A well-known brand which is made from heavy coutil. Has medium low bust, long hips, and boned throughout with double wire, absolutely guaranteed against rust. The free hip-bone is another great feature of this Corset. A very special offering for today at $1.50

—First Floor

Men's Suits at $10.00 and $12.50; Above the Average for Style and Quality

WE would draw special attention to the new range of Suits we are showing today at these prices. They are above the average in quality for suits usually offered at these prices and the smart styles and good workmanship are of a superior character. They are Suits that will give the best of satisfaction in wear, being made from such serviceable materials as English tweeds. A splendid range of patterns in browns, greens and greys. Coats are medium fitting and pants medium peg. Be sure and investigate these two offerings if interested in a new inexpensive Suit. We invite you to compare values. Special values at, per Suit .....$12.50 and $10.00

—Main Floor

Today's Candy Specials

Plain Butterscotch, per lb.....20c
Filbert Butterscotch, per lb.....25c
Maple Croquettes, reg. 40c, lb. 25c
Assorted Wafers — Chocolates, lemon, peppermint and wintergreen, reg. 40c, lb. 25c
Chocolate Chips, reg. 50c lb....35c
Calarab Figs, lb. 40c
Barley Sugar, lb.....40c
Brown Humbugs, lb. 30c
Black Striped Balls, lb.....40c
Cowan's Circus Wagons, box...10c
Big Shipment of Rowntree's Gums and Pastilles Just Arrived
Fruit Pastilles, per lb.....50c
Menthol and Eucalyptus Pastilles, lb. 60c
Gums, lb 60c

—Main Floor

New Shades in Ladies' Gloves

Are here in all the new leading shades to match the new Fall Suits. Such makes as Perrin's and Trefousse need no introduction here. They are already recognized by fashionable women as the best Gloves made.

Perrin's Marchionesse Glace Kid Gloves in all the new shades for Fall. Special, per pair $1.00
Ladies' Real Mocha Gloves, 2-button and 2-clasp styles. A beautiful quality glove, in colors grey, tan, brown and black. Per pair $1.50
Trefousse Dorothy Real French Kid Gloves, in all the new shades for Fall; 2-clasp. Per pair $1.50
Trefousse Dorothy Suede Gloves, pique sewn, in colors grey, tan, brown and black; 2-clasp. Per pair $1.50

—Main Floor

Unusual Values in Men's and Women's Shoes Today at $2.85

WE say unusual values, because this is a class of Shoe that was never made to sell at such a low price, in fact they would be considered good values if offered at $3.50.

Today both men and women have a chance to secure a pair of these Shoes at a very low price, and all who are in need of New Fall Boots and desire something serviceable at an inexpensive price should not let an opportunity like this slip by.

Men's Boots at $2.85

All Box Calf Blucher Boots, leather lined, with stout sewn soles. A good fitting Boot and a dependable quality for Fall wear.

—Main Floor

Women's Boots at $2.85

Patent Leather, Gunmetal and Glazed Kid Button and Blucher Boots, made on up-to-date lasts and remarkable value.

—First Floor

Today Special Values in Men's Socks

Men's Cashmere Socks, all wool, with everlasting heels and toes. In colors tan, grey and ox blood. Per pair, 35c; 3 pairs for $1.00
Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Socks, in wool mixtures; black only. Special, per pair .....25¢
Scotch Heather Mixture Socks, medium weight. Per pair, 35c,; 3 pairs, $1.00
Men's Cotton Socks, in all shades. Special, 2 pairs for .....25¢

—Main Floor

Rainy Day Garments for Boys

If you let your boys get wet going to school they may have to sit in their damp clothes for several hours —and what will be the consequence? Prevention is better than cure, and you will find it much less expensive to provide them with the following waterproof garments.

Boys' Oilskin Capes, in both long and short styles. Each $1.75 to ...$2.50
Boys' Oilskin Coats, in black and in khaki. Each $3.00
Squams, each 75c

—Main Floor

Fall Staple Goods at Very Low Prices

WHY not take advantage of these low prices to secure for your home the necessary goods you will need for comfort and warmth this Fall? Here are some of the best quality Blankets, Eiderdowns, and Sheetings marked at very low prices. Prices considerably lower than you would naturally expect to find for so early in the season. For instance:

White Wool Blankets are marked at lowest possible prices. All sizes and qualities, from a woolen mixture to an all-pure wool blanket, at prices ranging from, per pair, $3.50 up to $8.50
Campers' and Surveyors' Blankets in a big range, and in colors red, grey, brown and navy; dark greys in a 6-lb. weight to a silver grey, 10-lb. weight, with the usual variation of sizes. Priced, per pair, from $3.25 to $11.00
A Special in All-Wool Blankets at $6.25. These are regularly sold at $9.00. We have a few pairs only to clear at this price. They are guaranteed all pure wool, and can be had in various shades.
Good Values in Sheets. All ready for immediate use; hand torn and neatly trimmed; made from strong qualities of bleached sheeting—
Size 2x2½, regular $1.85. Now, per pair $1.65
Size 2x2½, regular $1.95. Now, per pair $1.75
Size 2¼x2½, regular $2.00. Now, per pair $1.85
Size 2x2½, regular $2.50. Now, per pair $2.25
Best Quality English Sheets, per pair, $3.75 and $4.25
Two Specials in Hemstitched Pillow Cases. In all the various sizes; made from fine quality cotton; neatly hemstitched—
Regular $2.75 grade for, per doz., $2.40
Regular $4.00 grade for, per doz., $3.00
Best Quality White Grecian Quilts at Easy Prices. Most serviceable Quilts for hotels and rooming houses; a splendid quilt for hard wear, yet inexpensive in cost—
Three-quarter bed size, each, $1.50 and $1.65
Full size, each, $1.75 and $1.85
Extra large size, each $1.95
Colored Quilts, each $1.65
Flannelette Sheets are what you need now for cold nights. Our new stock is here in all the leading sizes and qualities. Single and three-quarter bed size at, per pair $1.40 and.....$1.50
Full size, in pink or blue at, per pair $1.75 and $1.85
Extra large size at, per pair $1.95
Wool Filled Comforters help to keep your bed ever so cozy and warm, and a complete stock in muslin, chintz, sateen and cambric covers at prices from $1.75 to $4.25

New Novelties in Ribbons and Neckwear

Satin Ribbons in all shades, 6 in. wide. Per yard, 25c and .....35¢
Colored Cord Ribbons, 5 in. wide. Per yard .....25¢
Velvet Ribbons for Millinery, in all the new novelty shades. All prices per yard up to .....75¢
Dresden and Roman Stripes, also Embossed Velvet Ribbons for millinery, fancy sashes and girdles; all widths at, per yard, up from .....25¢
New Medici Collars, in lace, chiffon and lawns; very smart in effect. All prices up from .....35¢
New Fancy Ribbon Girdles, in all colors and black. Prices range up from $1.00
New Soft Folded Patent Leather Belts, in black; the very latest. Each, 35c and $1.00

—Main Floor

Special Sale of Helios Vacuum Bottles at $1.00

A well-known, reliable Vacuum Bottle that keeps liquids hot or cold as desired. A special sale of these Bottles is now proceeding in our Drug department. While they last, each $1.00

—Main Floor

Warm Hose for Women and Children

In all the best reliable qualities are here in readiness for your Fall needs. Note particularly our special qualities that are marked at popular prices.

Women's Seamless Cashmere Hose, a good reliable quality. Special per pair .....25¢
Women's Cashmere Hose, black only, all sizes. Special at, per pair ..35¢
3 pairs for $1.00
Women's Cashmere Hose, in black and tan; a splendid quality; specially recommended at, per pair .....50¢
Other good values at 75c and $1.00
Boys' Ribbed Cashmere Hose, 2 in 1; sizes 5 to 10, at, per pair, according to size, 35c to .....75¢
Girls' Ribbed Cashmere Hose, 1 and 1; all sizes, 5 to 10. Priced according to size at, per pair, 35c to .....75¢
Little Darling Hose, made from beautiful soft lambs' wool, and dyed with best vegetable dyes, which entirely prevent hardness and does not chafe the tender skin of young children. In all colors and sizes. Per pair .....25¢

—Main Floor

TEAS
COFFEE
CHOCOLATE

Served daily in our cosy tea room on second floor joining millinery salon. Arrange to meet your friends there. Moderate prices.

—Second Floor

A New Shipment of Enamelware Household Utensils Marked to Sell at the Old Prices

ALTHOUGH there has been a decided advance in the cost of all Enamelware, we have decided to offer this shipment at our regular popular prices. Just how long this shipment will last is, of course, impossible to say, but there's sure to be a big demand, so we would advise you to make your list of the necessary articles you need in your kitchen and not delay your purchase or you may be disappointed in finding the very articles you need all sold out. Buy **today** is your safest plan.

Diamond Blue Enamelware

Fry Pans
No. 7, price, each .....45¢
No. 8, price, each .....55¢
No. 9, price, each .....65¢

Granite Dish Pans
8-quart size, each .....60¢
10-quart size, each .....80¢
14-quart size, each .....90¢
17-quart size, each $1.00
21-quart size, each $1.25

Tea Kettles
No. 8, flat bottoms $1.25
No. 9, flat bottoms $1.50
The Daisy Kettle, each .....75¢

Tea or Coffee Pots
1-quart size, each .....45¢
1½-quart size, each .....50¢
2-quart size, each .....60¢
3-quart size, each .....70¢
4-quart size, each .....85¢

Stew Kettles
4-quart size, each .....65¢
6-quart size, each .....75¢
8-quart size, each $1.00
12-quart size, each $1.25

Milk and Rice Boilers
2-pint, inside measure .....75¢
4-pint, inside measure $1.00
6-pint, inside measure $1.25
8-pint, inside measure $1.50

Cream Pitchers
Each .....35¢

Lipped Sauce Pans
¾-quart size, each .....15¢
1-quart size, each .....20¢
1½-quart size, each .....20¢
2-quart size, each .....25¢
2½-quart size, each .....30¢
3-quart size, each .....35¢
4-quart size, each .....40¢
5-quart size, each .....45¢
6-quart size, each .....50¢

Straight Sauce Pans
1-quart size, each .....30¢
2-quart size, each .....35¢
3-quart size, each .....45¢
4-quart size, each .....50¢
6-quart size, each .....65¢
8-quart size, each .....75¢
10-quart size, each $1.00

Colanders
11½-in., blue or white, each .....50¢

White Graniteware

Wash Bowls
10½ inches diameter .....20¢
11½ inches diameter .....25¢
12 inches diameter .....30¢
14 inches diameter .....35¢
15 inches diameter .....50¢

Deep Soup Bowls
4¼ x 2½ inches, each .....10¢
4¾ x 3 inches, each .....15¢
5⅜ x 3¼ inches, each .....20¢

White Seamless Cuspidors
Each .....75¢

Kitchen Bowls
6-inch, each .....15¢
7-inch, each .....20¢
8-inch, each .....25¢
10-inch, each .....40¢
12-inch, each .....60¢

Water Pitchers
2-quart, each .....65¢
3-quart, each .....85¢
4-quart, each $1.00
6-quart, each $1.25

Chamber Pails
Each, $1.50 and $1.75

Hotel Jars
10-quart, each $1.35

Water Pails
10-quart, each .....85¢
12-quart, each $1.00
14-quart, each $1.25

Sink Strainers
Each .....50¢

Oblong Pudding Pans
10-inch, each .....20¢
11-inch, each .....25¢
12-inch, each .....30¢
13-inch, each .....35¢

Milk or Pudding Pans
1-quart, each .....15¢
2-quart, each .....20¢
3-quart, each .....25¢
4-quart, each .....30¢
6-quart, each .....35¢
8-quart, each .....45¢

White Bed Pans
Each $1.75

White Douche Pans
Each $1.75

White Granite Chambers
No. 18; baby size, each .....25¢

White Chambers
Larger sizes, 30c, 35c, 40c, 45c and 50¢

Soap Dishes
Each, 20c, 25c and .....35¢

Basting Spoons
12, 14 and 16 inches. Each, 20c and 15¢

Granite Ladles
Each .....20¢

White Dippers
Each .....35¢

White Mugs
Each .....15¢

White Tea Cups
Each .....15¢

White Saucers
Each .....10¢

Pie Plates
8-inch, each .....10¢
9-inch, each .....15¢
10-inch, each .....15¢
11-inch, each .....20¢

White Granite Kitchen Sinks
16 x 24 inches, each $2.90
18 x 30 inches, each $3.25
18 x 36 inches, each $3.90

—Second Floor

Knitted Suits in Jersey Style for Little Boys

Just the Suits the little boys need for wear on cold and windy days. They are warm and cosy to wear, and look neat and tidy. Suit comprises jersey to button on shoulder, pants and cap; made of fine cashmere, also woolen mixtures in colors brown, saxe, navy and reseda. Sizes 1 and 2 years only. Per suit $1.50 to $2.50

—Infants' Dept., First Floor

LIGHT LUNCHES

Are now served in the new tea room on second floor joining the millinery salon. Moderate prices.

—Second Floor

DAVID SPENCER, LIMITED